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King Donovan and Imogene Coca pose briefly following an afternoon session Friday with students at West Texas State University. They are winding up an appearance in "Send Me No Flowers" at the Amarillo Little Theatre.

Santa Fe Welding Plant Means Area Jobs, Money

The $5 million Santa Fe plant to be constructed in Randall County near Hollywood Road will have a great economic impact, not only in added payroll earnings, but also in tax benefits for the Canyon Independent School District and the county general fund, spokesmen said in Canyon.

Conway Kuykendall, tax assessor-collector for the school district, said the proposed installation would result in at least $34,000 in school taxes, based on estimated construction costs and present tax rates.

If the facility is to be evaluated at $5 million, the taxable sum would be $2 million, or 40 per cent of the total. With the present tax rate of $1.70 per $100, said Kuykendall, the school tax would come to the estimated $34,000.

According to the tax assessor-collector, tax on equipment used at the welding plant, in the form of inventory tax, could swell the school tax figure to an even higher total.

Randall County would also come into the picture, said tax assessor-collector Audrey Bruse.

Based on the estimated value of $5 million, said Mrs. Bruse, the county tax bill would come to $11,220, should the current tax rate still be in effect.

The county uses a 17 per cent evaluation with a tax of $1.32 per $100.

Both tax officials expressed satisfaction that the rail plant was being located within the county and school district.

Dr. Dudley Moore, president of the Canyon Independent School District, called the coming plant "a great thing" for the area. "It represents a stable and substantial source," Dr. Moore added.

The announcement regarding the new facility was made Thursday by John S. Reed, Santa Fe president, while he and other company officials were in Amarillo during a stop-over in their Chicago to California inspection tour of the line.

According to Reed, construction of the plant would begin in February with completion scheduled for late 1973.

The location will be just west of the Santa Fe right-of-way, and running from Hollywood Road to Farmer's Lane. The area covers just over 37½ acres and is 315 feet wide and one mile long. The property was purchased from various individuals, said Santa Fe spokesman Herman Hill.

Hill said the plant will employ about 60 persons with 30 to 35 of those expected to transfer from Winslow, Ariz., and Pampa when portable plants in those cities are closed.

The arrival of the transferred employees could have an important effect on housing in the county, should any of the move-in families choose to locate near the plant, Hill said.

The fact that some 25 new jobs will be created, over and above the transferred personnel, could also add to the county's overall economy, the company spokesman said.

Hill said the Randall County plant will weld 39-foot sections of rail into quarter-mile sections, and will also pre-fabricate 39-foot track sections to be used on industrial sidings and other secon-

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In Prison For Rape Of 3-Year-Old

Convicted Rapist Wants Retrial Here

A retrial for Anthony Martin Zilka, 40, serving a term of life imprisonment for the rape of a 3-year-old girl in 1964, loomed as a definite possibility last week.

Attornies for Zilka, found guilty of raping the young daughter of his common-law wife, have filed a writ of habeas corpus which specifies the former farm laborer is being held illegally in Huntsville.

Zilka, who came with a woman and her children to the Canyon area in February 1963, was assessed a life prison term in late May 1964 after a day of testimony in 47th District Court here.

The jury's verdict and sentence was upheld later by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

Randall County Dist. Atty. George Dowlen said Zilka filed a writ of habeas corpus in 1969, but that writ was denied by 47th District Court Judge E.E. "Gene" Jordan.

"Now a new writ has been filed with the assistance of the attornies employed by the state to help inmates at the penitentiary," Dowlen said.

The new writ contends that during Zilka's trial in Canyon in May 1964, his testimony was impeached by the introduction of evidence that he'd been previously convicted of two felonies in Pennsylvania.

"And, it's Zilka's contention that he had no attorney in the Pennsylvania cases and therefore the convictions are void and he should be granted a new trial in Randall County," Dowlen said, "on the basis that in 1965 the U.S. Supreme Court ruled on a case and said all defendants must have an attorney in felony cases."

Dowlen said similar cases have been tried in other states and these cases "make me think his writ has some vailidity.

"The indications are that you do have to apply that 1965 ruling."

And, if Judge Jordan sees the matter in the same light, Zilka could return to Canyon for another trial on the 1964 charges.

"If the case is returned to Randall County for a new trial, it would be incumbent on us to dig up the witnesses and try it again," Dowlen said.

Zilka was arrested Jan. 9, 1964 after he and his common-law wife had taken her 3-year-old daughter to Northwest Texas Hospital for treatment.

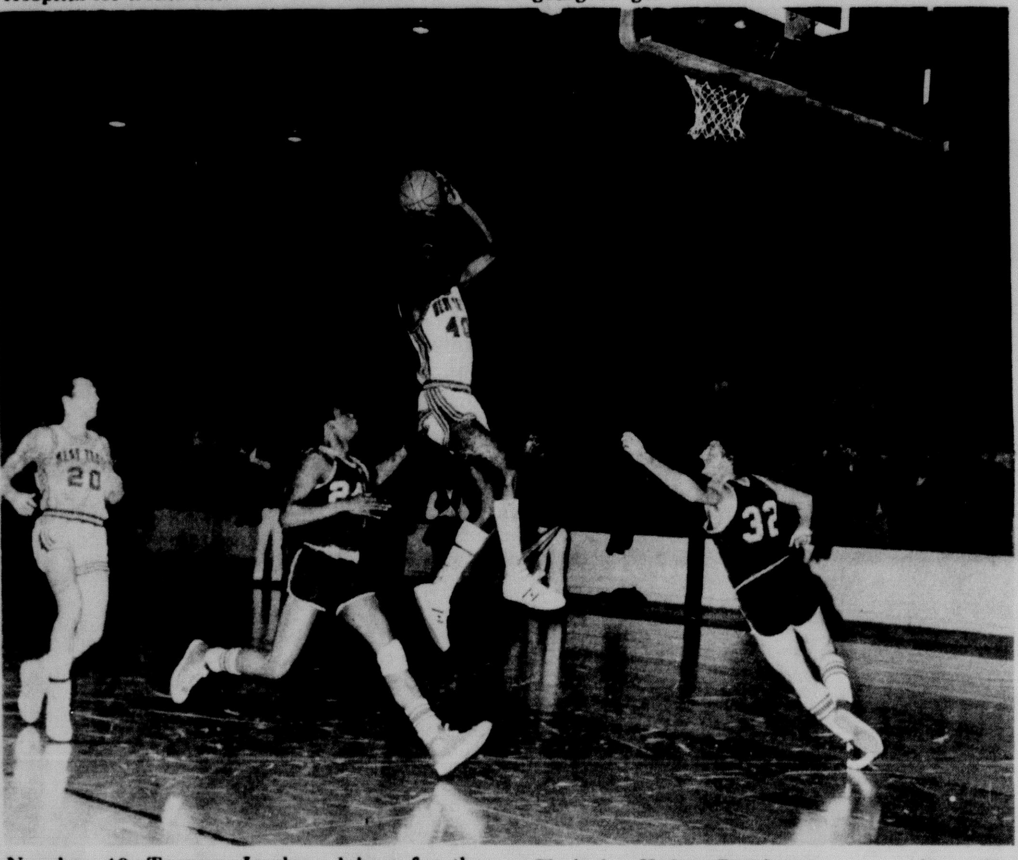
Zilka told arresting officers three stories of how the girl was injured but never made a formal confession.

Bond was denied by Justice of the Peace W.A. "Bill" Wilson.

Five months later, as Zilka's common-law wife sat in the courtroom before his trial, she exclaimed "We're going to get married if he gets off."

She said Zilka had always been good to her and her children.

Later, following the presentations by defense and prosecution, Zilka openly wept outside the jury deliberation room as he awaited his fate.



Number 40, Tommy Jordan, drives for the basket during Friday's West Texas State 77-71 victory over the University of Corpus Christi. Kyle Sunderman, number 20, follows the fast break.

Coca, Donovan Dedicated Pair

BY JUNE DAYEN

When people start listing her credits, amiable Imogene Coca modestly explains, "We had producers, directors and camera men who were terribly good."

And when asked how they happened to get into acting in the first place, she and King Donovan, seasoned troupers of stage, film, and television, talk about how they were born and bred into the theater.

But if you were sitting in the audience with young drama students at West Texas State University last Thursday afternoon, you realized there had to be other explanations for the kind of spectacular success Coca achieved on "Your Show of Shows" in the early '50's. The TV classic ran 90 live minutes of prime time every Saturday night for five winters.

It's the voice, the answer might have dawned—the voice and the face.

Because Imogene Coca still has that "grande dame" voice that luckily never went with her clown face—the big rolling eyes, the brows that could move up half an inch in exaggerated surprise, the turned up nose, and the mouth that might suddenly break into a wide watermelon smile.

No, that cultured voice with its cloying soprano heights or lullaby lows never matched the gamin face.

Only rarely did she ham it up to full power Thursday afternoon for the kids from the drama department, who were not quite or barely arrived in this world when Coca and Caesar's classic "Your Show of Shows" was glueing America to their sets.

Audiences can thank director Max Liebman, who long ago caught her in summer reviews, for discovering the hilarious possibilities of comedy in Imogene Coca's "madam-chairman" voice paired with her wistful Raggedy-Ann face.

Now, in real life, Coca and Donovan complement each other in much the same way Caesar and Coca did in the old domestic comedy scenes.

Donovan, an "old lion" of the stage whose mind is a crammed storehouse of memorabalia about the theater, does most of the talking. Coca slips in a punch line or relates amusing anecdotes.

"You find the best dramatic actors and comedians are the shyest, quietest, palest—" he starts out.

"Dullest—" she inserts.

"People in the world," he finishes. "If one of them showed up at an office to apply for work, he'd never get the job."

Both passionately dedicated to theater, Coca and Donovan nevertheless gave cautious ad-

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Computerization Could Be Delayed

It may be 1974 before the county tax roll can be computerized, the director of the West Texas State University computer center said Friday.

County officials, particularly assessor-collector Mrs. Audrey Bruse, had hoped the 1973 tax roll would be figured on computers at WTSU.

"The big problem is that even if we get all the programs written, I don't think we can get all that in there quick enough," computer center director Durwood Henderson said. "We're looking at it, but I don't think we can get it done that quick.

"We think maybe it might take one girl one full year to input the data."

Henderson said figures are not yet available on how much the conversion and continued operation of a computerized system for collecting taxes might cost county taxpayers.

County commissioners last week eyed the computerization of the county tax roll last week and a committee consisting of Bill Butler, Jim Fletcher, John Fulgenzi and the county's outside auditor was named to investigate the possibility and make formal recommendations.

Several counties in Texas already have computerized tax rolls and representatives of some of those counties gave the News a hint of what lies in store for the local tax office.

County Judge Ed Keyes of San Angelo said when the county tax roll was first placed on computer in his county, the costs averaged around $12,000 per year.

"They're probably higher than that now," he said.

Keyes said the tax office uses key-punch machines for input to the computer, on which time is leased by the county from a San Angelo insurance company.

The judge said the computerized tax roll for his county has proven satisfactory.

"We have no complaints at all," he said. "But, we were a little slow getting started."

Keyes confirmed Randall County officials' feelings last week that computerization of the tax roll probably will not allow the tax office to reduce its personnel.

"It didn't cut down on personnel at all," he said. "But, I think it kept us from adding extra people."

He said the San Angelo tax office has about 20 employees.

T.J. Clark, tax assessor-collector for Nacogdoches County, said the county tax roll there is computerized and the computer operation is handled by an out-

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Agents Hear Rate Decline In Insurance

Three local insurancemen were in Austin last week to add their voices to others in the insurance industry as they called for a substantial decrease in homeowners insurance costs in the majority of Texas.

George Blackwell, Bill Davis and Cary Magness attended a hearing Wednesday before the State Board of Insurance.

"It appears at this time that at long last we're going to experience a decrease instead of increase," Magness said after returning from the state capital. "It pleases me as it does other agents."

Magness said the rate reductions, some of them substantial, are due to the decrease in number of catastrophic storms and accidents to property in the north and northwest portion of the state.

He said no major catastrophes have occurred in the region in the past two years.

The last major storm damage was recorded when tornadoes struck mid-Lubbock causing an estimated $200 million in damages. Before that, a major hail storm in 1969 caused about $30 million in damages to homes and businesses in Amarillo.

Magness explained that homeowners' rates in a region are affected by what ever losses are experienced anywhere within that region.

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New Clues Sought In Area Murder

Ballistics test results concerning the mid-November slaying of William Horace Patterson returned to Randall County Thursday as inconclusive.

Long awaited by Sheriff Cliff Longest, the results from the Department of Public Safety laboratory in Austin failed to link a 25-year-old suspect with the murder.

The suspect had been released earlier last week on a $2,000 bond posted in Potter County on a charge of carrying a prohibited weapon.

Longest said Thursday the test results mean sheriff's deputies must "start all over" in their search for the person or persons who pumped six slugs into Patterson, a 57-year-old itinerant, the night of Nov. 17.

"We'll have to start looking for other suspects," he said. "But, we'll keep that fellow (the 25-year-old) in mind."

The suspect arrested not long after Patterson's body was discovered on a dirt road north of Canyon was released from Potter County jail last week because evidence turned up so far by investigators is insufficient to hold the suspect on murder charges, according to Randall County Dist. Atty. George Dowlen.

Court Lodge Ruling Seen As Precedent For Masons

Last week's ruling by the Texas Supreme Court which disqualified an Amarillo Masonic lodge as a charitable institution and which makes the lodge subject to taxation could have impact on the Masonic Lodge in Canyon.

That's the opinion of the city and district attornies.

But, tax assessor-collectors here aren't exactly sure about what to do now that the ruling has been handed down.

The Supreme Court decision made public Wednesday upholds a 47th District Court ruling that the lodge is subject to taxation since charitable activities do not occur at the lodge itself.

The ruling also struck down as unconstitutional legislation exempting all property of fraternal organizations from taxes so long as the property was owned and used for charitable, benevolent, religious and educational purposes.

"The Supreme Court says the constitution only permits legislation to exempt purely public charities and the Masonic lodge is not purely a public charity," said Randall County Dist. Atty. George Dowlen. "The whole thing revolves around what the building is being used for.

"The Masons own and operate across the country various hospitals, charitable hospitals for burned children, crippled children, and those hospitals will still be considered charitable and will be exempt from taxes.

"But, the lodge itself is not used entirely for charitable purposes and therefore is not exempt from taxation."

City Attorney Elton Cox pointed out that although the Supreme Court ruling last week referred only to the Amarillo Masonic Lodge case, the court set a precedent in its ruling which will apply across the state.

"It clearly sets a precedent to me," Cox said. "I imagine the tax assessor is familiar with the case and will put not only the Masonic Lodge here but maybe other properties owned by other organizations claiming to be charitable on the tax rolls.

"My feeling is that now all tax assessors will look more closely at the organizations before they're classified as charitable."

City-School tax assessor-collector Conway Kuykendall and county assessor-collector Mrs. Audrey Bruse are not sure what their next move should be.

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Burton, Caballero, Guy

Three Professors Nominated

Three West Texas State University professors were nominated Saturday by President James P. Cornette for the statewide Minnie Stevens Piper awards.

Nominated were Dr. Robert Burton, chairman of the geology department, Dr. Emilio Caballero, chairman of the art department, and Dr. Duane Guy, history department chairman. The Faculty Council selects the nominees.

The Minnie Stevens Piper Foundation of San Antonio, founded in 1950, annually honors 10 Texas educators for outstanding academic, scientific and scholarly achievement.

The award includes certificates naming them "Piper Professor of 1973" and $1,000 stipends. Next year's recipients will be announced in the spring.

Dr. Lowell Harrison, former professor of history and head of the department, was the last WTSU faculty member to receive the award in 1965.

Burton, a native of Borger, has taught at WTSU for 13 years. He received bachelor and master degrees from Texas Tech University and a Ph.D. in 1965 from the University of New Mexico.

He has authored four articles and has worked on four additional research projects.

In addition, he has delivered numerous speeches to area organizations and geological

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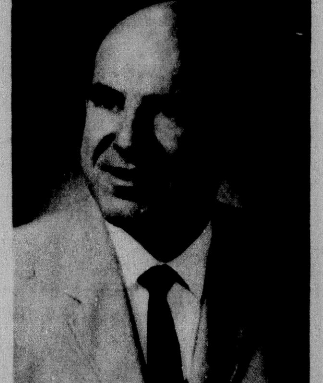
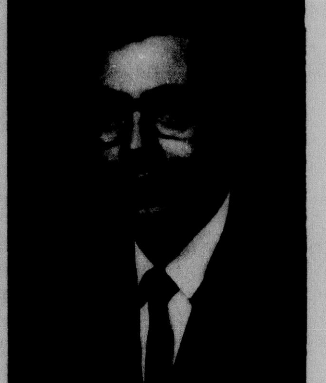
Dr. Robert Burton



Dr. Emilio Caballero



Dr. Duane Guy

Agriculture Degree Is Okayed For University By State Board

Approval was given Friday for West Texas State University to offer a master of agriculture degree.

WTSU would be only the second school in the state to offer such a degree to students. Texas A&M currently offers such a degree.

The Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System announced approval during a meeting in El Paso.

Dr. Kenneth Laycock, vice president for planning and development, attended the meeting as WTSU's representative.

The master of agriculture degree would be a professional, 36-hour non-thesis degree requiring a 3-month management training period and a professional paper.

According to the degree request submitted Friday, the degree is primarily designed for area residents possessing bachelors degrees to continue and upgrade their educations in the field of agriculture.

Currently, the university offers masters of science degrees in animal and plant sciences in cooperation with Texas Tech University and Texas A&M University.

The cooperative programs would be continued.

"This is a professional degree with many of the courses being taught at night and on Saturday, in order to serve the people of the region involved in the agriculture industry," the degree request states. "Most of the students seeking this degree will already be engaged in the industry."

The request further states that the School of Agriculture is the only school at WTSU which does not offer a graduate degree.

"We believe this is a most unique degree, which will serve our region and not duplicate or dilute programs at other state colleges and universities," the request says.

It is projected that enrollment for the new degree will be about 50 students next year continuing through 1977.

In terms of faculty needed to teach the program, the request states that the teaching responsibility will be partially absorbed by the current faculty. But, additional faculty will be required.

"The source of students is already available from a strong undergraduate program and professional agricultureal employees of the region," the request states.

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Phone Calls Obscene

Obscene phone callers are at it again in Canyon.

One local family reported receiving obscene phone calls for three weeks at any time of day.

The calls finally ended when the caller, apparently the same one each time, was finally told "I really feel sorry for you. You're sick. Why don't you just go to bed?"

Another local man was awakened early one morning by a female caller who spewed forth with obscene language.

Mike Patrick, manager for Bell Telephone Co. in Canyon, con-

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Our World

Suit May Bring Reality To Schools

By ANN BROWN

It was inevitable.

An 18-year-old illiterate is reportedly suing the San Francisco school system for more than $1 million because they granted him a diploma without teaching him to read and write above the fifth-grade level.

The suit contends that "Peter N. Doe" completed 12 years in San Francisco's public school system, with a normal attendance record, and that he was not a disciplinary problem.

Names as defendants in the suit were the San Francisco school supt., the state and local boards of education and their individual members. Also included was Wilson Riles, California's Supt. of Public Instruction.

Dr. Max Rafferty, the former Calif. Supt. of Public Instruction fought against social promotion, and repeatedly warned his colleagues of the dangers inherent in graduating illiterates. They voted him out of office.

If "Peter N. Doe" wins his suit, it will open up a Pandora's box that could destroy our present public school system. Our Country is teeming with functionally illiterate high school graduates. How many schools will escape a suit?

Many college freshmen cannot spell or write an intelligible sentence. One freshman wrote a one-paragraph (less than a page) autobiography that contained 23 misspelled words, and not a single article.

The student proudly stated she was determined to get a college degree—even if she had to spend 5 years in college as she had in high school. She failed, however, to survive the first semester.

As long as state colleges are required to admit any student who graduates from an accredited high school (the above student held a diploma from a AAAA school), college will continue to be a frustrating experience for illiterates, a headache to their teachers, and an increasing burden to the taxpayers.

A judgment favoring "Peter N. Doe" should remove the all-men-are-created-equal blindfolds from our school authorities who have endorsed social promotion. They would surely be forced to admit that students do not graduate with equal skills.

Several educational authorities have publicly repudiated standardized intelligence tests. They did not, however, explain why students who score low on IQ tests cannot perform on the same level as students who score high on them.

Some interesting questions should arise in the "Doe" hearing. Almost everyone knows some student who received an adequate education in the California public school system. Why not "Peter?"

Any student who could spend 12 years—without at least becoming literate—in a school where other students progress normally must be lacking either intelligence or integrity. And what school dispenses either?

No individual teachers were reportedly named in the suit. Teachers who have been required to promote illiterates probably have little sympathy for the defendants.

Educational authorities have apparently been so deafened by the roar of "equality" they have been unable to hear the protests of the teachers. As a rule, teachers have decried social promotion from its beginning.

Parents are understandably a little lacking in objectivity. But even parents should realize that a student who cannot earn a high school diploma cannot hold a job that requires one.

The average American has an IQ of 100. For every student who has an IQ above average there is likely to be one with an IQ below average.

Someone is always needed to mow the lawns and trim the hedges. If one is not educable, should he not be grateful for simple work that enables him to earn his own living?

When anyone attempts to live in a dream world, he is scheduled for a rude awakening. Perhaps "Peter N. Doe's" $1 million suit will bring our educational system back to reality. If so, it will be a blessing to students, teachers, and potential employers.

EDITORIALS AND *Editorial Features*

City Desk

Meetings Open at Tech

The fact that I was denied admission to a West Texas State University faculty meeting last week by Dr. T. Paige Carruth, vice president for student affairs, was the source of some amusement to many faculty members I talked with later.

"Why would anybody in their right mind want to go to a faculty meeting?" several asked me. "We go, but we always come out asking ourselves why in the world we went."

I really wasn't too intent on getting into the faculty meeting, as a matter of fact. But, I thought something of general interest might result from the meeting and I tried.

Had my desire been stronger, I have no doubt I would have gone in.

An attorney general's opinion is simply that. It's hardly the law of the land.

In fact, I've had a bit of trouble finding the law of the land on this particular subject. Seems it's just not addressed and there are certainly no court cases on it.

But, whether I could or could not have legally entered the faculty meeting is hardly the question.

The question is why faculty meetings shouldn't be open to the public.

Down at Texas Tech, I've learned, they seem to be a little less defensive and secretive.

The same afternoon I was denied entrance to a WTSU faculty meeting, a reporter from the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal was sitting in a faculty meeting at Texas Tech. His report appeared the next day and described a faculty-administration discussion over tenure and salaries.

The faculty even expressed some dissatisfaction with the Tech tenure policy in the open meeting.

While I don't hold Tech up as the most liberal school in the state, I would have to say its administration is quite a bit more enlightened about public relations than the administration at WTSU.

What Dr. Cornette, WTSU president, has trouble remembering is that the university is a public institution, paid for by public tax money and used by members of the public.

He may run the place, but he doesn't own it.

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A Mexican-American curriculum conference was going on out at the university this weekend for area teachers. It was the second of two conferences on the same subject.

I understand that the meal served during the last conference to the Mexican-Americans and Anglos in attendance was without lettuce.

It seems WTSU planners discovered that the lettuce purchased for consumption on campus was not picked by union laborers.

To avoid embarrassment, they decided not to serve lettuce with the meal.

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Parents often paint themselves in a corner without really realizing it.

My wife, three-year-old daughter and I were dining in a local restaurant last week when I discovered once again the sharp wits a three-year-old can exhibit.

D'Arcy (my daughter) loves to dance and she doesn't care where she is to put on an exhibition. If there's music, she wants to dance and unless she's stopped, she'll do it.

Like most three-year-olds, she also has a vivid imagination and her favorite playmate is Snow White. She spends a lot of her time dancing with Snow White and every once in a while, she'll dance with Pinnochio.

Well, the juke box was blaring as we waited for our dinner, and suddenly D'Arcy jumped from her chair and pranced around the room in her favorite dance step.

My wife, embarrassed, of course, jumped up, grabbed the kid and plunked her back down in her chair.

"D'Arcy, we don't dance in restaurants," my wife said sternly. "You don't see anybody else dancing, do you?"

"Yeh," D'Arcy replied as she pointed to the middle of the room. "Snow White is," and she hopped again from her chair. **C. Wilson**

Siftin' With Sands

Old Calendars Make Good Reading

BY JIM SANDS

Did you ever wonder just what was going on in and around Canyon in the year 1964?

Well, I didn't either until I noticed last week that my desk contained a memo calendar used, at times at least, by someone charged with keeping up with such things that year.

By some stretch of the imagination, one might even assume that the user had been a reporter.

At any rate, the user didn't get around to making an entry until Jan. 3, at which time the only thing going seemed to be sugar beets.

Three days later, there was mention of a jailbreak and also something about "new arithmetic." Of course, there is always the possibility that the reporter was simply trying to figure how to get out of a tough problem.

On Jan. 20, a notation was made about "WT fones" and I assumed that there must have been some drastic change-over taking place at the university regarding the telephone system.

At random dates, on through March 9, the same notation about the "fones" cropped up every so often.

On or about Feb. 4, it seemed that Peter, Paul and Mary were here, or coming or had just left.

A note made on Feb. 8 indicated the need for a story on the "poll tax," if you can remember that far back, and on Feb. 11 there was an interesting little bit about "checking on the trash man."

I'm still wondering about that one, and possibly why the trash man needed checking on.

Ten days later I found what looked like a grocery list but for a reporter it contained too many food items in comparison to such necessary items as aspirins, cigarettes and foot plasters.

On March 4, mention was made of a "campus raid," but it did not elaborate on the actual type. If memory serves me correctly, that was somewhere back near the days of the "panty" things.

After a rally at Umbarger was mentioned on March 7, the page for the 24th of the month listed only the words, "late check."

Could it be that some fantastic story was breaking and required last minute attention...or could it have been simply in regard to tardy pay...or payment.

The user of the pad must have taken an extended vacation during the months of April and May, getting back only in time for spring registration at WT.

The bowlers held a banquet on June 5, it seems, and that month saw five men's softball teams spring to life. That same summer it was indicated that six "pee wee teams" would be in action.

On June 16, according to the notes, some school hereabouts was getting a new coach, or possibly coaches, and a week later it appeared that someone named B. Lake was involved in some sort of family boating and camping.

On closer inspection however, I finally determined that the note was simply that Buffalo Lake was getting ready for those two outdoor activities.

From June 29, when it was all Austrian sheep dogs and boy scouts, there was only one entry forthcoming until Oct. 26 when it was mentioned that the Canyon Capers would be at the livestock barn from 8 to 11 p.m. "What kind of capers," I thought.

The in-between note had mentioned "Greenbelt Bowl" and I assumed it had something to do with competition between the practicers of the art of self defense. At least I had heard of such things as "black belts."

I was really interested in looking back over the pages of time, but like most reporters, the user of the calendar pad apparently got lazy and began to trust to memory.

In fact I almost always rely on memory and seldom does it let me down. I'd list those times if I could remember any of them.

Patricia Ann Wieck

Miss Wieck Dies Here

Patricia Ann Wieck, 19, of Umbarger, died about 5 a.m. Thursday at Neblett Hospital.

She had been a junior student at West Texas State University majoring in accounting.

Rosary was said Friday night at LaGrone Funeral Chapel. Requiem mass was scheduled at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Umbarger with the Rt. Rev. Mons. Matthew Schafle, pastor, officiating.

Pallbearers included Tom Haschke, Robert Friemel, Kenneth Wieck, Mike Wieck, Jim Grabber and Harold Bertrand.

Miss Wieck was a native of Verona, Mo. She was born April 16, 1953.

An honor student, she graduated from Canyon High School in 1971.

At WTSU, she was a pledge of Kappa Delta Sorority. She worked in the office at Neblett Hospital. She was a member of the St. Mary's Catholic Church at Umbarger.

Survivors include parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Wieck of Umbarger; brothers, Robert J. of Amarillo, Fred of Canyon and Melvin of the home; a sister, Janice of the home; and a grandfather, E. J. Friemel of Umbarger.

Letter To The Editor

New Way To Give Found

Dear Mr. Martin,

I would like to pick up on Ann Brown's note of thanks in her column on November 26. Despite her inaccuracies and over-simplifications, there is an important point to be made. Regarding our freedom, how does one give thanks for freedom? Not by just saying we are thankful, but by doing what is necessary to insure those liberties for which we are thankful to those who are still deprived of them. How does one give thanks for our material blessings? "Let him work with his hands, the thing which is good, that he may have **"to give to him that is in need"** (Eph. 4, 280). We certainly have plenty. And it is at Christmastime that our family has found a new way to show our thankfulness to God for the greatest of all gifts, the Christ Child.

We have all heard people complain about buying Christmas gifts; they don't know what to get so and so, they are having a hard time finding the time to shop, and they are concerned about how little they can spend for the gift. Yet, a ridiculous amount of money does go for gifts to our relatives and friends who don't really need these things. Surely for Christians, just giving a nod to the Christ-Child, and concerning themselves mostly with other activities, is missing the point of Christmas.

We have found that Christmas can be a real blessing for us and for others if we give fewer gifts to people who do not need them and more to those who do need it. We send the amount of money that we would have spent on our friends and relatives to individuals in need or organizations who serve people really in need. We ask that others do the same for us instead of buying us a gift. We send the money with a note saying that in thankfulness to God for His gift in Jesus Christ, we are sending $10.00 (or whatever) in Aunt Emma's name to them, as our gift to her. And we write a note to Aunt Emma telling her what we have done. We have really experienced a great deal of joy at Christmas which other years, wrapped up in the commercialization of Christmas as they have been, have not provided. It doesn't take many families to make a significant contribution. And there are surely so many programs to give to—Red Cross, United Way, Muscular Dystrophy, Meals on Wheels, American Cancer Society, or your own church's service organizations. I hope that some will consider this program for Christmas. And if specific questions arise, we will be glad to talk about how we have done it.

Now concerning some of the problems with Ann Brown's column on November 26. It is not true that across the board Asians and Europeans are impressed first with our freedom rather than our material wealth. Some would be, I am sure. However, personal freedoms go beyond America's in some Scandinavian countries (maybe to their detriment). When she zeroes in on Iron Curtain countries, I have more sympathy with her generalizations. But when she finds fault with socialist countries for disintegration of families, I wonder if she is acquainted with the divorce statistics in America. If we are to be self-righteous, that is one dog we had better let lie. We had better get the log out of our own eye first.

Before accepting hook, line, and sinker, her statement that communal life is against human nature, it might be important to note that the cultural development of man was communal, primitive societies still are, the populations of a large share of Asia, Africa, and South America are still communal (tribal), the Israeli kibbutz seems to be doing well, the Children of Israel made a rocky transition from tribal-communal life to a national life, and the monasteries that have lasted so long in the life of the church haven't found such life to be against human nature. In fact communal life gives more opportunity to see one's contribution to the community (sense of the significance of what one does) than is true in macroinstitutions such as we are becoming burdened with.

Thank you for printing my letter.

Yours truly,
David W. Melber

News Brief

J. Evetts Haley of Canyon is recuperating at Scott and White Hospital at Temple after undergoing surgery for gall bladder Nov. 21.

His condition is described as good.

News Pays Ad Bonus

The Canyon News is paying a Christmas bonus for reading the ads.

Watch the advertisements in The News each issue for names placed in them at random.

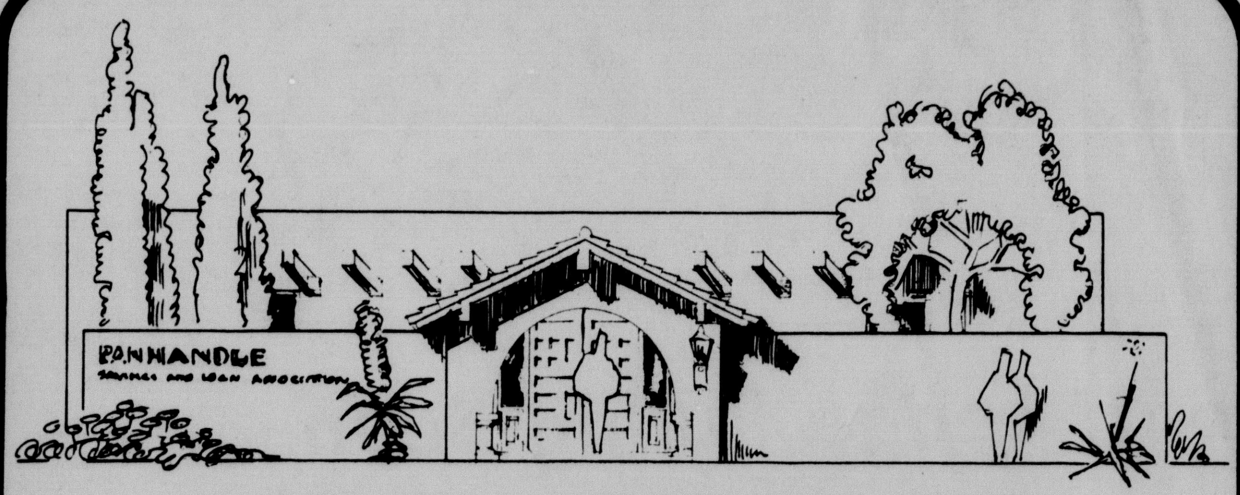
If your name appears in an ad, drop by the store in whose ad you find it and pick up a check for $5 from The Canyon News.

This is The News way of saying thank you to the people who patronize our customers.

DAR Will Honor Former Regents

A Christmas Tea honoring former regents has been planned by Daughters of the American Revolution for Dec. 11, from 3-5 p.m., in the parlor of the First Christian Church of Amarillo.

Among the honorary regents who will be in the receiving line and pour at the tea is Mrs. Grace Warwick of Canyon.



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Menu For December 3

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Fried Chicken

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Central Church of Christ
4th Ave. at 21st
W.Dwayne Dennis, Minister
Larry Suttle, Assoc. Minister
Early Worship-8:30 a.m.
Sunday School-9:30 a.m.
Late Worship-10:20 a.m.
Evening Worship-6:00 p.m.
Ladies Bible Class-
Wed. 10:00 a.m.
Wed. Evening Bible Class-7:00

St. Paul Lutheran Church & University Center
2600 4th Avenue
David W. Melber,
Pastor
Sunday School and
Bible Class-9:45 a.m.
Worship Service-11 a.m.
(Communion First
Sunday of Month)

First Baptist Church
1717 4th Ave. Bill Foil, Pastor
Bible Study-9:30
Christian Training-10:20
Morning Worship-11:00
Evening Worship-6:00
Wednesday Evening
Fellowship Dinner-6:00
Auxiliaries and Dir. Meetings-
6:30
Dr. and Teachers Meet-6:45
Prayer Meeting-7:30
Children's Choirs-7:30

United Methodist Church
1818 4th Ave.
J. Frank Peery, Pastor
Church School-9:30
Worship-10:45
U.M.Y.F.-5:30
Evening Worship-7:00
KCAN Broadcast-10:45

Calvary Baptist Church
800 8th St.
Mel Hardin, Pastor
Sunday School-9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship-10:45 a.m.
Church Training-6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship-7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night-7:45 p.m.

Faith Chapel and Student Center
Jack Cornell, Pastor
Marcus Adair,
Director and Coordinator
Sunday School-10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship-11:00 a.m.
Vesper-Tuesday-6:00 p.m.
Wed. Services-7:30 p.m.

Grace Baptist Church
2008 12th Ave.
Sunday School-10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship-11:00
Evening Worship-7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting-7:30 p.m.
Ray Custer, Pastor

First Christian Church
1719 5th Ave.
Ivan A. Adams, Pastor
Sunday School-9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship-10:45 a.m.
Youth Meeting-6:30 p.m.

First Presbyterian Church
1319 5th Ave.
Morning Worship-10:00 a.m.
Dialogue Groups &
Church School-11:30
Baldwin I Stribline,
Minister

Cafeteria Menu

CANYON HIGH AND JUNIOR HIGH

MONDAY, DEC. 4
Pig-in-a-blanket
Seasoned Pinto Beans
Green Salad
Fruit Cup
Bread, Butter
Milk

TUESDAY, DEC. 5
Chicken and Noodles
Green Peas
Celery Stick
Fruit Jello with Topping
Rolls, Butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 6
Pizza
Buttered Corn
Diced Peaches
Tossed Salad
Bread, Butter
Milk

THURSDAY, DEC. 7
Hamburgers
Lettuce, Tomatoes
Tri-cut Potatoes
Applesauce Cake
Buttered Buns, Catsup
Milk

FRIDAY, DEC. 8
Fish Fillet
Tarter Sauce
Spinach
Cabbage Slaw
Lemon Pudding
Rolls, Butter
Milk

REX REEVES & GENE HOWE ELEMENTARY

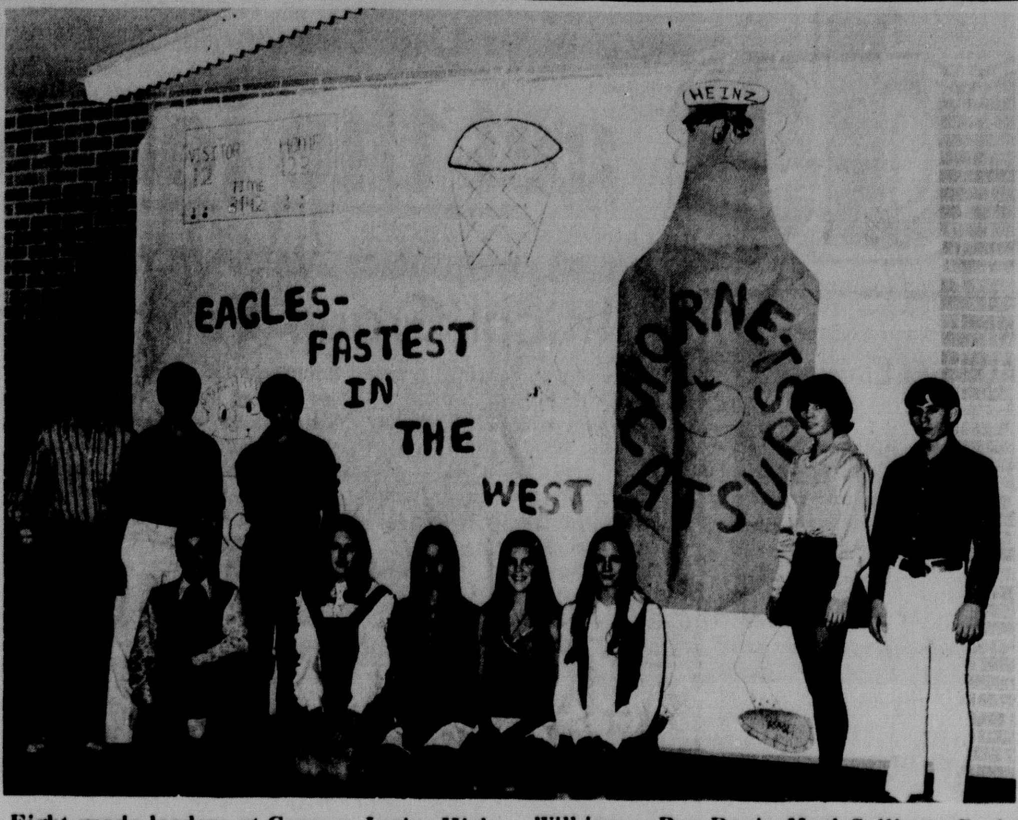
MONDAY, DEC. 4
Meat Loaf, Sauce
Blackeyed Peas
Mashed Potatoes
Honey
Rolls, Butter
Milk

TUESDAY, DEC. 5
Beef Tacos
Shredded Cheese, Lettuce
Mexican Beans
Jello/Whipped Topping
Bread, Butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 6
Barbecued Chicken
Potato Salad
Sliced Pickle Beets
Sweet Peas
Banana Pudding
Bread, Butter
Milk

THURSDAY, DEC. 7
Hamburgers
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Relish
Tri-cut Potatoes
Fruit Cup
Buns, Butter
Chocolate Milk

FRIDAY, DEC. 8
Beanie/Weiners
Kurley Spinach
Sliced Pickles
Fruit
Corn Bread, Butter
Milk



Eight grade leaders at Canyon Junior High School with their poster which took first place during a "Spirit Week" contest held at the school. From left to right, they are Rex Wilkinson, Roy Davis, Mark Sullivan, Craig Howard, Alicia Fowlkes, Darlenea Hanes, Vickie Miller, Deedy Johnson, Shellye Carroll and DeWight Byrd.

"Spirit Week" At Junior High

At Canyon Junior High School last week, "Spirit Week" was observed by contests, skits, colorful clothing and a pep rally.

On Monday, the boy's dressing room and activities area of the school were decorated in an effort to generate high team spirit.

Tuesday was "Sock It To Me Day" with students decked out in purple or white socks.

Also on that day, a contest was held for the best designed "beat tags." Winners of $1 from each of the three grades were Kathy Gardner, 9th grade, Terri Lynn Thomas, 8th grade, and Kim Landrum, 7th grade.

Wednesday was "Sucker Day" with suckers being sold for five cents each. Paper chain-links made by the cheerleaders and adorned with their names were sold for three cents each, or three links for five cents. Students were limited to spending 25 cents for links and the grade with the longest chain by Thursday afternoon was declared the winner.

The chain-link contest ended with a tie between the 7th and 8th grades. No official measurement was available but each chain reportedly reached all the way around the gym.

The money derived from the sale is to be used by the cheerleaders for various projects.

A pep rally was held Thursday afternoon and included skits sponsored by the student council.

Each grade entered into a poster contest designed to build team spirit. Of the three large mural-like posters, the one constructed by the 8th grade won first place.

The festivities ended Friday with "Color Day" which saw students dressed in the school colors.

Overall winner of the combined events for the week was the 7th grade.

CHS Band Places 17 On All-Region

Seventeen members of the Canyon High School band were selected to the All-Region Band in competition between 3-A and 4-A schools held at Caprock High School in Amarillo Wednesday.

The winners and their instruments were:

David Finke, percussion; Mike Word, baritone sax; Jerri Sisk, baritone clarinet; Larry Caviness, alto sax; Dan McGlasson, bassoon and Allen Beghtel, French horn.

John King, Patricia Maxwell and Ted Sharp, coronets; Brad Garner, Teddi Crager, Sharon Lumry and Cindy Johnson, flutes; and Nancy King, Leslie Baird, Doug Rittenberry and Vern Zimmerman, clarinets.

The All-Region Band rehearsed in Pampa Friday and Saturday, taking part in a concert Saturday night in conjunction with the All-Region Choir.

The All-Region Choir includes 17 members of Canyon High School. Those students were named in previous editions of The News.

This year the All-Region Band is under direction of Dean Kellion of Texas Tech.

The Canyon High School Eagle Band will present its annual Christmas concert on December 12, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

Dr. Gary Garner, director of the West Texas State University band, will appear as guest flute soloist, and will be accompanied by the Eagle band.

The high school Stage Band will also be presented during the concert.

The Canyon High School band is under direction of J.W. King.

Dec. 5, beginning at 7:30 p.m., the junior high bands, under direction of Gary Laramore, will hold a concert in the high school auditorium.

The three junior high bands are Symphonic, Concert and Cadet. Each band will present a group of concert selections including Christmas music.

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reFlections on the Arts

THE THIRD ANNUAL PRE-CHRISTMAS ART FAIR will be held at the WTSU Activities Center Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

The fair is sponsored by Kappa Pi, art honorary. All area artists are invited to purchase booths for the display and sale of their works.

Each 10 x 10 booth costs $2.50 for exhibitors. Art instructor Darold Smith is taking reservtions for the booths at 655-9419.

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COMMENT: There is always a large variety of art pieces at the fair so mark your calendar and plan on attending.

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"THE NUTCRACKER BALLET" will open at Amarillo's Tascosa High School Thursday and run December 8, 9, and 11 at 8 p.m. with a special performance set at 2:30 p.m. on the 9th.

All performances are slated for the THS auditorium.

Guest artist will be Charles Maples, a member of a Los Angeles ballet company.

WTSU's Rene Clemente will dance the male lead's part on December 11. Rene is superb, by the way.

Under the direction of Neil Hess, the school's drama department is in charge of the production. The THS choirs and orchestra will also join in the festivities.

Santa Claus Lane will be open one hour prior to curtain time.

Tickets are $1.50 each and may be purchased at Cooper and Melin, Wilson's Magnavox, and at THS. Some tickets will probably be available at the door, but last season's show played to full and turn-away crowd's each evening.

Call in your reservations.

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THE AMARILLO BALLET THEATRE's fourth annual production of the Nutcracker will be held December 15 at the Amarillo Civic Center.

Tickets are $6, $5 and $2 and may be purchased at the Bank of the Southwest, White and Kirk and the Civic Center box office.

New York artists Ted Kivitt and Cynthia Gregory will dance the principal roles.

"Send Me No Flowers" will run through December 7 at the Amarillo Little Theatre. Heading the cast are Imogene Coca and King Donovan, stars of stage, screen, television, and Broadway.

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"Much Ado About Nothing" opens at the Oklahoma Theatre Center Wednesday and runs through December 23 in Oklahoma City.

Area Resident Dies Thursday

Ervin Arthur Michael, 70, of east of Canyon, was dead on arrival about 5:45 p.m. Thursday at Neblet Hospital here.

A Randall County resident since 1919, Mr. Michael was a farmer and stockman.

He was born Sept. 15, 1902 in Wisner, Neb., and lived there until he moved to the Canyon area. He married Ethel Root at Plainview Jan. 19, 1924.

Mr. Michael was a member of the Farm Bureau, the National Farm Loan Association and the Canyon First Christian Church.

Services were held Saturday afternoon at the First Christian Church here. Dr. Joe Findley and Dr. Newton J. Robison, former pastor of the Amarillo First Christian Church, conducted the services.

Pallbearers were nephews, Lloyd Michael, John Albers, Norris Root, Richard Brotherton, Billy Michael, Donald Laughery, Raymond Root and Harold Root.

Burial was in Memory Gardens Cemetery by LaGrone Funeral Chapel.

Survivors include his wife of the home; daughters, Mrs. Sandra Swafford of Amarillo, and Mrs. Barbara Cullender of Canadian; a son, Meade of east of Canyon; a sister, Mrs. Clark Johnson of Wisner, Neb.; and seven grandchildren.

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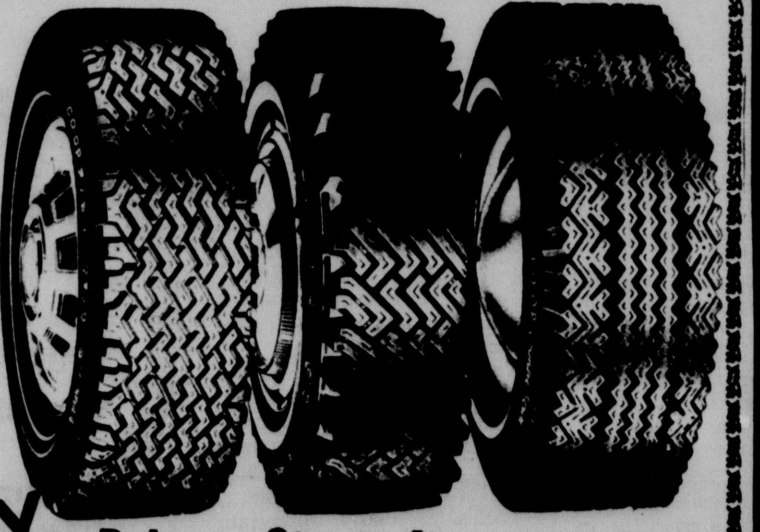

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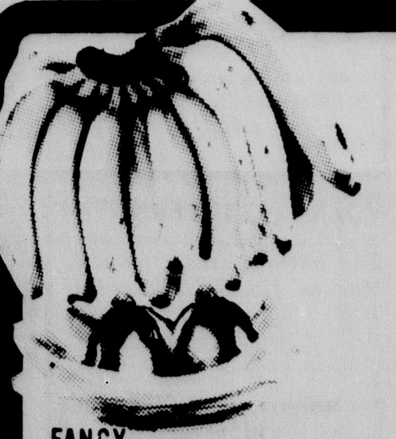

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Political Group Formed In Canyon

The Canyon Political Action Group was formally organized during a meeting held Thursday night at The Only Place in Canyon.

The group, in an informal manner began activities prior to the general election.

According to publicity chairman John Pristash, the group adopted purposes to be accomplished by the organization. Listed were to prompt self-education and interest in public affairs, and to stimulate involvement in community, state and national politics.

A steering committee was elected during the organizational meeting. They were:

Chairman, Mary Parker; vice chairman, and project chairman, Dr. John Kahler; secretary and news media chairman, Dr. Donald Todd; treasurer and membership chairman, Ralph Bruse; research committee chairman, Dr. Hollice Snyder; research librarian, Nora Killian; member-at-large, Greg Edwards and representatives of university students, James Collins and Jerry Crowell.

Two persons to represent the high school group have not yet been named said Pristash, who was selected to the publicity chairmanship at the meeting.

Mrs. Parker was in charge of the program Thursday night, speaking on proceedures for rezoning within the city.

The group will hold its next meeting at 6:30 p.m. on Jan. 25, again at The Only Place.

Dues are $3 for a family, $2 for an individual and $1 for students, Pristash said.

Christmas Is Season For Many Fire Hazards

With the winter season being extremely dangerous in regard to residential fires, and the Christmas season compounding those dangers, Canyon Fire Marshal Blakley Fargason has issued several "common sense" fire prevention tips.

Natural trees used at Christmas time should be kept fresh says Fargason. This can be done by placing the stump of the tree in a container of water.

Location of the tree away from curtains or other easily ignited objects will prevent rapid spread of fire should a blaze erupt, Fargason said.

Before lights are placed on a tree or other objects, the wires and sockets should be checked to make sure they are in good condition and working properly.

Care should also be taken to insure that electrical lines are not overloaded because of too many appliances being connected to one outlet.

If an artificial tree is to be used, Fargason said, it should be made of material which is not combustible. According to the fire marshal, artificial trees not approved by the Underwriter's Laboratory or other qualified agencies should be avoided.

Fargason said artificial trees approved by the California State Fire Marshal's office have been tested and found to be safe.

When metal artificial trees are used, it is not advisable to adorn it with electric lights, said Fargason. He cited the danger of electrical shorts and shocks, even possible electrocution.

The city fire official also warned against leaving Christmas tree lights burning while away from home or while the family is sleeping.

In summing up the hazards of Christmas trees and their lighting, Fargason said "good, common sense" should prevent a major portion of the fires and other mishaps that annually occur at this time of year.

WT Teachers At Convention

Eight members of the West Texas State University physical education department are attending the 49th Texas Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation convention in San Antonio through Saturday.

Dr. Myron Dees, professor and head of the department of physical education at WTSU, is president of TAHPER.

Other West Texas State representatives are Dr. A.J. Luquette, Mrs. Mary Hill, Nancy Kneisley, Sam Weaver, Richard Ortiz and Jack Tillinghast and graduate assistant Mickey Daugherty of Canyon.

Papers Filed In Sale Of Canyon Creek

Papers transferring the Canyon Creek Apartments from the former owners, a general partnership of several Amarillo men and a Canyon corporation, to new owners, a limited partnership called Canyon Creek Properties, were filed Friday in the Randall County clerk's office.

Warranty deed and assumption agreement were filed in the clerk's office.

The records state the new owners assume the former owners' debt on a $1.196 million loan made by Farm and Home Savings Association.

Jack Huddleston, president of Panhandle Savings and Loan in Amarillo, announced several weeks ago he and a group of other businessmen had purchased the apartment complex, which is located in the Hunsley Hills addition of Canyon.

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Happy Splits Pair With Silverton

The Happy Girls basketball team downed Silverton Friday night 52-42 but the boys dropped their first game of the season 55-28.

Boys coach Gerald Weeks said he chalked the loss up to "first game jitters" and the fact that because of football, his team had only begun practice Monday.

The scoring for Happy was pretty evenly distributed with Greg Looney topping the Cowboys with 8. Tim McNeill scored 6 for Happy and T. Culwell led the Silverton pack with 16.

Weeks said his team was not quite ready and added, "We just couldn't hit the basket."

The game was the third for Silverton, which is also a Class A team.

The girls used 23 points each by Pam Shipman and Becky Via in their win.

Coach Weeks, speaking in the absence of girls coach Leslie Lee, called it "a pretty good ball game" on the part of the girls from Happy.

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Eagles Lose At Brownfield; Girls In Sunray Finals

The Canyon Eagles were eliminated in the first round of play in the Brownfield tournament, losing to Seminole, but the girl Eagles fared much better in their Sunray tourney outing.

The boy Eagles lost 82-69 in a game that saw Seminole the winners pull away in the final period.

The score at the end of the first period was 21-16, Seminole, and the Eagles trailed by only 39-34 at halftime.

Wayne Pitt dropped in 16 points to lead Eagles scoring. Andy Cooper and Gary Don Byars tied for second in scoring with 14 each.

Donald Roberts paced Seminole with 16 to share game honors with Pitt.

The Eagles meet Dimmitt Monday night in a game to be played in the Canyon gym.

In the Sunray tourney, the girl Eagles got off to a fantastic start by dumping Stinnett 84-22 in the opening round.

The Stinnett girls were held to only four points in the first quarter and had mustered only 9 by halftime.

Mindy Sternenberg led Canyon at the net with 23 points.

In the semi-finals, the girl Eagles handed Dalhart a 67-21 loss.

Like Stinnett, the Dalhart girls ended their first quarter with only four points, adding only three more during the second period.

Alishia Nelson took top scoring honors among the rampaging Eagles and D. Crowell popped in 10 for Dalhart.

The Canyon sextet played Stratford in the finals Saturday. Results of that game will appear in The News on Thursday.

On Monday night, the girls join the boys in action against visiting Dimmitt.

Lodge...

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"I haven't checked on it yet," Kuykendall said. "I'll have to check into the local lodge and have them give me a statement of their operation and what their dues are used for."

He said the lodge is not currently on the tax rolls.

The lodge, which is located north of the Canyon High School campus, is not listed on the county tax rolls, either.

"If it's the law, then they'll be put on," Mrs. Bruse said.

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side firm.

Clark could not estimate total cost of the operation annually to the county, but said it averaged about 20 cents per line.

The Nacogdoches tax man had some advice, though, for local computer planners.

"Try to find somebody who has run tax rolls before," he said. "Don't let them experiment. This is highly technical stuff."

Clark said his tax roll has been on computer about a year.

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societies. During the past school year he served on eight university committees.

Chairman of the department of art for 16 years, Caballero has taught at West Texas State for 23 years. He attended Amarillo College, received a Bachelor's degree from WTSU and Master of Arts and Ph.D. degrees from Columbia University.

One of the outstanding artists in the Texas Panhandle, Caballero moved to Texas in 1938. His works have been exhibited throughout the United States, and his commissions have included works now in the Midland Public Library, the Amarillo Municipal Building and St. Ann's Church of Canyon.

The Faculty Excellence Award of $1,000 was given to Caballero earlier this year by the university. Artist Tenkei Tachibana of Japan, honorary professor of art at WTSU, invited Caballero to have a one-man show of his paintings in Tokyo.

He is a member of various professional art organizations and is a fellow of the Royal Society of Arts of Great Britain, founded in 1754.

Guy has taught 14 years at WTSU and has served as the department chairman since 1967. A native of Kansas, Guy earned Bachelor and Master degrees from Kansas State College at Fort Hays and a Ph.D. from the University of Kansas in 1964.

Research projects completed by Guy include the Hay-Bunau-Varilla Treaty and History of the Panhandle Bankers' Association. He is current editor of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Review.

Guy coordinated the first Afro-American history course at the university.

Coca...

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vice to WT students about pursuing the acting profession.

"I do not think anybody should go into show business if he doesn't have to," said Donovan. "If it's for success, or glamour, or money—don't. They all wash away too soon. But the point is, if you love it—acting—then do it."

"I agree with King positively," chimed in Miss Coca, "but I'd like to say something about his remark that we only went to the eighth grade. You ought to know it was only because we had mad parents who were all involved in the theater. I think it is terribly good to have an education, and while in college, to be a part of the drama department, to exercise the muscles and get ready for the stage in a much more constructive manner than we did."

Feeling them out further on the subject of preparation, William A. Moore, acting director at West Texas State University, asked what gaps they might have noticed in the training of actors nowadays. Their answers didn't match.

"I think for the most part young people seem to be better prepared now than they were in the past," replied Coca.

But her husband writhed in his seat, ran a hand through his mane, and gave another view. "Gee, I don't agree at all. Number one, when you get a job it's because you can do it. If you're a sexy little broad, they will use you because of it, or if you're a pot-bellied character actor, they may put you in as Polonius...The Actors Studio in New York has produced good actors, trained to play in contemporary plays. But in relation to classical roles, I don't think there have been ten actors out of the Actors Studio who have done Shakespeare."

"Nor any other actors that I've come upon," his wife smilingly remarked, in a patient, reasoning-with-a-madman tone. Everyone laughed.

But most of the time the husband-wife team, who married in 1958 and are now in their seventeenth production together, display only respect and affection for each other.

The talk, for example, turned to direction, when someone asked, "What do you want from a director?" Imogene Coca praised her husband as a director, saying he was "quiet and gentle."

"People going into parts want to play roles they have an instinct for. They want to work out their own interpretations, and then gradually make themselves a part of the whole," answered Donovan who has both acted and directed. "A director is a mirror—he just shows you what you should see yourself. He is invaluable in guiding the instincts and talents, and he must be sensitive, gentle and discerning."

"I think a director's job is almost like a psychiatrist's," observed Miss Coca. "I think they have to approach each actor on a different level. Some they can't let be too sure of themselves, because they will just take off with the play. Others need to be encouraged and reassured...I've seen some directors that for some reason hate actors. Actually, I've seen some performances torn apart by directors. Fortunately, there are not too many of that kind...

"I find a director a much more necessary person in the theater than does King. I want to be told what I am doing right and what I am doing wrong," Miss Coca added.

Someone asked them which media they preferred to work in.

"When you are taping television you have your nights to yourself," observed Donovan. "You have nice quiet dinners and weekends to yourselves." He later told how when they were doing matinee-night stage performances, they usually ordered in a quart of milk to their dressing rooms and then napped until the evening show. And how after the evening show, they were so keyed up, it took until two or three in the morning to "unwind."

"But in theater," said Miss Coca, "you have that marvelous contact with people that, when successful, is the most exciting thing in the world."

The two veterans began discussing how television had changed from the old days.

Said Miss Coca, "There are so many people in television now—so many production people who have opinions, and then agency and network people. And they bring a horde of people into the picture." She illustrated her point by telling about the struggles of producing a satire of "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf" for television. The network sent in about 30 grim gentlemen who watched the show before taping to make sure it would not be offensive for the family audience.

"It's become more of a business now," commented Donovan. "But it's opening up, with programs like 'All in the Family' and 'Sanford and Son.'"

As the question and answer period neared conclusion, the team was optimistic about the prospects of theater in the future.

"There is an upsurge now in the regular theater," observed Donovan, "maybe because of expanding departments of drama, the opening of dinner theaters, and so forth...Imogene and I have done a lot of 'bus and truck' tours in our fourteen years together. And now we are finding there is no such thing as a 'hick town' anymore. The audiences in the smaller towns know what they have come to see, and they are not too loaded with dinner and drink. Whenever the curtain goes up, it's an opening night—and the response is great."

After posing for the press, Imogene Coca and King Donovan returned to Amarillo with Peter Fox of the Amarillo Little Theater, where they are now appearing in "Send Me No Flowers." Arrangements for their informal appearance in the Intimate Theater of the Fine Arts Building were made by William A. Moore of the Department of Speech.

Plant...

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dary tracks.

A statement issued by the company at mid-week indicated that the Randall County project is the major part of a $9 million dollar venture related to track welding.

Another $3 million is to be spent in the construction of four special track hauling trains to be used to transport the quarter-mile rail sections to the points of installation.

The specially designed trains will be one-quarter mile in length and built to allow the long rail sections to bend with the train. "The rails bend just like they will when they are put in place," Hill said. "I didn't believe it until I saw it," he added.

According to Santa Fe officials, their 12-state operation will offer ample demand for the long sections of rail for many years to come. "The short sections of rail replaced by the welded sections will also be reconditioned and welded together at the new plant, the company statement said.

Since 1957, all rail replacements made on the line's main routes have been with the welded rail sections.

Another $1 million is to be spent in updating and modernizing handling facilities in a related plant located at Newton, Kan. The plant there turns out switches, "frogs" and other smaller track items.

The Santa Fe employs about 1,275 persons in the immediate area and provides a payroll of about $18 million annually. The new plant will add about $750,000 to that payroll figure, rail officials said.

9th Grade White Now Stands 2-0

The 9th grade white team of Canyon Junior High School won a pair of basketball games last week, downing Highland Park 46-39, and the white team of Borger 71-65 in overtime.

The 9th grade white team will be in action at home Monday when they meet Stanton of Hereford.

Obscene...

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firmed Friday his office has received a number of complaints concerning obscene and harrassing phone calls in Canyon.

Patrick said obscene calls are reported in rashes in Canyon, usually ending with the arrest of suspects.

"We've been very successful in the last three years in catching the majority of the people making the calls," Patrick said.

Patrick said the telephone company has developed a device called the polarity trap which can trace calls to their sources.

The trap is attached to telephone company equipment and does not monitor calls. It simply traces the calls to their origin.

"That's what we've used in every case I know of," he said.

But, before using the polarity trap, Patrick said the phone company suggests to recipients of obscene or harrassing phone calls that they can probably stop the calls themselves by applying a few rules of thumb.

"When this gets started it's usually one individual or just a few who call a lot of people," he said. "They keep calling until they get somebody excited. They seem to enjoy finding somebody they can really make mad. Then they keep calling back.

"People should be tolerant and as soon as they can tell it's an harrassing call, the best thing to do is just hang up. Chances are they are not going to keep calling back.

"If that doesn't do the trick, then we can go the polarity trap route."

Before the polarity trap is used, local law enforcement officials are informed of the case so they can make arrangements for arrests.

"Usually, when these kinds of calls start piling up they continue until we catch somebody," Patrick said. "Then we have no problem for awhile.

Randall County Asst. Dist. Atty. Jim Blair said anyone who uses vulgar, profane or abusive language over a telephone in a manner to harrass, threaten or intimidate another person is guilty of a misdemeanor.

If found guilty, offenders may be fined not less than $100 nor more than $1,000. They can also be sentenced to from a month to a year in the county jail.

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He estimated that 80 cents of every insurance dollar in the past 10 years has gone back to the customer in payment of claims in this area.

He said the rates could go into effect as soon as Jan. 1.

The Texas Insurance Advisory Association presented the agents' case in Austin last week and recommended a statewide reduction of 7.7 per cent for fire insurance.

A 17.7 per cent decrease was recommended for extended coverage policy holders in this area and a 16.2 per cent decrease was recommended for homeowners coverage policy holders in the area.

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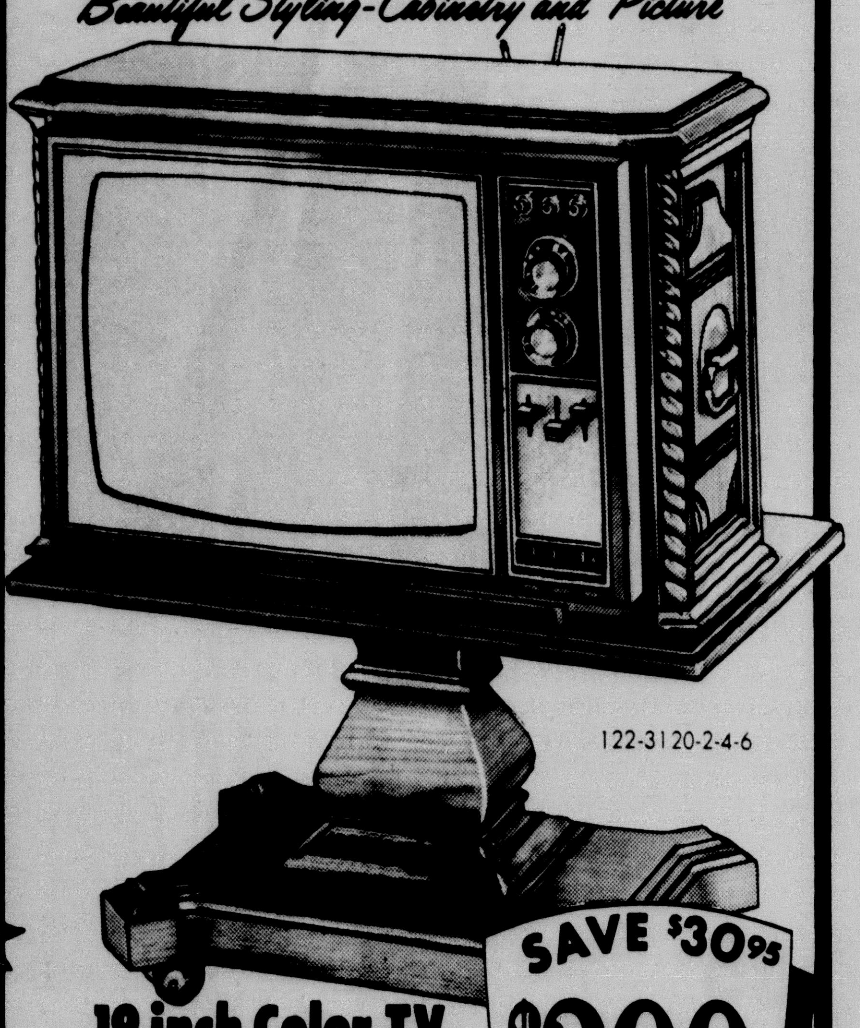

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The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. D.R. Easter of Hurst, Tex., and Mr. W.O. Webb of Amarillo.

The wedding will take place on February 3, 1973, in the First Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Canyon High School and now attends West Texas State University where she is a sophomore.

Her fiance also attends WTSU and is presently employed by Ordway-Saunders Securities Corp.

At the announcement tea, guests will be registered by Mrs. Perry Graham of Dimmitt, and sisters of the bride, Sharon and Karen Ruthart of Dallas. Miss Lily Koesjan of Amarillo will play piano music during the tea.

The house party will be composed of Mrs. Ralph Ruthart of Canyon, Mrs. Manuel Ruthart of Groom, Mrs. Gordan Ruthart of Groom, Mrs. Arlen Ruthart of Amarillo, Mrs. Donnell Ruthart of Amarillo, Mrs. Anford Ruthart of Seminole, Mrs. D. C. Lindley of Canyon, Mrs. V. A. Howard of Canyon, Mrs. Bill Woodson of Amarillo, and Mrs. Jimmie Cain of Amarillo. All are aunts of the bride.

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The bride is the daughter of Mrs. J.W. Ward, residing in the I.O.O.F. retirement home at Ennis, Tex., and the late J.W. Ward.

The bridegroom, a former Canyon resident now living in Amarillo, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Morris of Canyon.

The altar area was decorated with a standing bouquet of flowers in rich autumn colors, banked with golden mums.

Mrs. Charles Bagwell, organist, played traditional wedding music.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Sandy Hair and Miss Karen Pegg, nieces of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Frances Cheek of Amarillo was matron of honor. She wore an A-line dress of turquoise winter crepe with a corsage of white and blue carnations.

The best man was John P. Morris of Amarillo, brother of the bridegroom.

The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Frank Cheek of Amarillo. She wore a formal gown of antique bridal satin with overlay of French lace, designed with softly gathered skirt banded at the waist with satin and marked with a flat bow at back. The high round neck and wrists were edged with lace ruffles. Her shoulder-length veil was held by a rosette bordered with sequins and pearls, and she carried a natural orchid on a white beaded evening bag.

Following the ceremony, the bride and groom with attendants received guests in the large foyer of the church, decorated with bouquets of autumn flowers and baskets of rice bags.

The couple left for a short wedding trip to New Mexico, the bride wearing a white pantsuit trimmed in black with a white wool cape.

Since Nov. 30, the newlyweds have been making their home at Rt. 3, Box 174, North Amarillo.

The bride owns and operates a school store across from the River Road Junior High School of Amarillo.

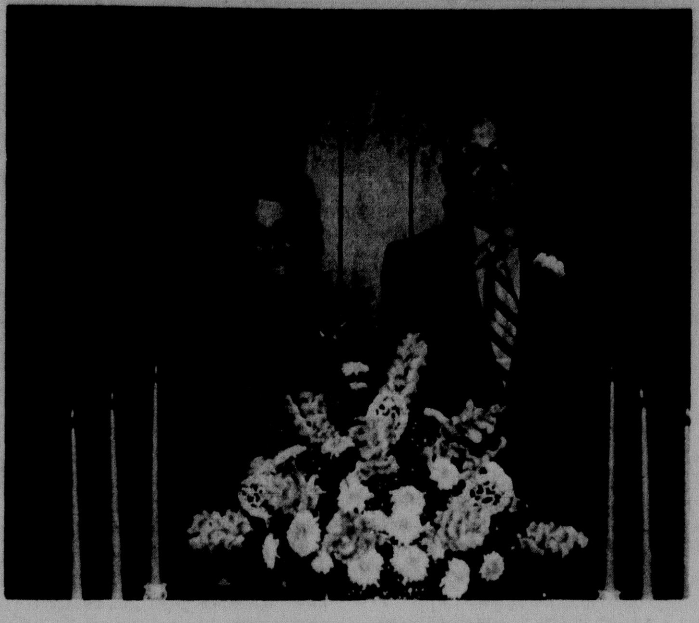
The bridegroom is a graduate of West Texas State University and is presently employed at Accudata Corp. in Amarillo

Methodist Youth To Have Dinner

The Methodist Student Center at 107 26th St. will have a Christmas dinner on Sunday, Dec. 10, serving from 11:45 to 1:30. The price will be $1.00 for children and $1.75 for adults.

A menu of turkey and dressing, green beans, cranberry jello, cake, coffee and tea will be prepared and served by WTSU students. The public is invited to attend.

Proceeds of the dinner, which last year went to the Wesley Community Center in Amarillo, will again this year go to a worthy cause. Campus Methodist Student Director is the Rev. Cecil Matthews.



Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baber

Joe Babers Honored On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baber, 2010 5th Ave., were recently honored on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary with a reception at the Canyon Community Center.

The honorees were married on November 8, 1922, in Wichita Falls, Texas, and came to Canyon about 40 years ago. Mrs. Baber was the former Miss Mollie Stallings. The couple have one daughter, Mrs. Betty Moody of Santa Ana, Calif. They are members of the First Baptist Church.

Hosting the reception were the daughter, Mrs. Moody, and their sister-in-law, Mrs. Ruby Stallings.

They have five grandchildren, four of the Moody home in Santa Ana, Calif., and Miss Sarah Moody of Denton, Tex.

Mrs. Priddy Gives Sue Hite Program

The Sue Hite Study Club met Monday afternoon, Nov. 27, in the sixth grade room of Mrs. Edith Priddy at Rex Reeves Elementary School.

A devotional was given by Mrs. A.K. Goodman. Mrs. A.L. Walsh presided over the short business session.

Mrs. Priddy presented the program on "Japanese Architecture and Religion." Mrs. Priddy stated the homes in Japan are very simply built of wood and rice paper and have very few furnishings in them to avoid cluttering. Gardens are very beautiful and range from table-top size to a large area.

Most homes have two small altars on separate high shelves, Mrs. Priddy told the group. Most Japanese have two religions, Shintoism and Buddhism. The Shinto religion is used primarily for weddings and the Buddhist for funerals.

Hostess for the meeting was Mrs. Hazel Walsh, with Mrs. Jewell Hill, Mrs. Bonnie Hinger, and Mrs. Frances Holman assisting.

The next meeting of the club will be on Dec. 11 at the First United Methodist Church.

Miss Oglesby Is Betrothed

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Oglesby of Amarillo have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Maribeth, to Kenneth Lee Tyler, son of Mr. John M. Tyler, of Amarillo and the late Mrs. Tyler.

Vows will be exchanged in the First United Methodist Church of Canyon on Saturday, January 27, 1973.

The bride-elect graduated from Canyon High School and attended Amarillo College, West Texas State University, and the Artistic School of Hairdressing. She is now employed at Maribeth's Beauty Salon in Amarillo.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Amarillo High School and attended El Centro College in Dallas. He is presently employed at Pantex in Amarillo.

Miss Maribeth Oglesby

Chamber Board To Meet Mon.

Committee chairmen and their committee members will be named for 1973 by next year's Chamber of Commerce president Raymond Raillard during the board of director's Monday night meeting at Canyon Community Center.

The board meets at 7 p.m.

Members will be named to the following committees: Agriculture, Education, Community Development, Highway, Legislative, Membership, Member Relation, Red Carpet and Tourist Development.

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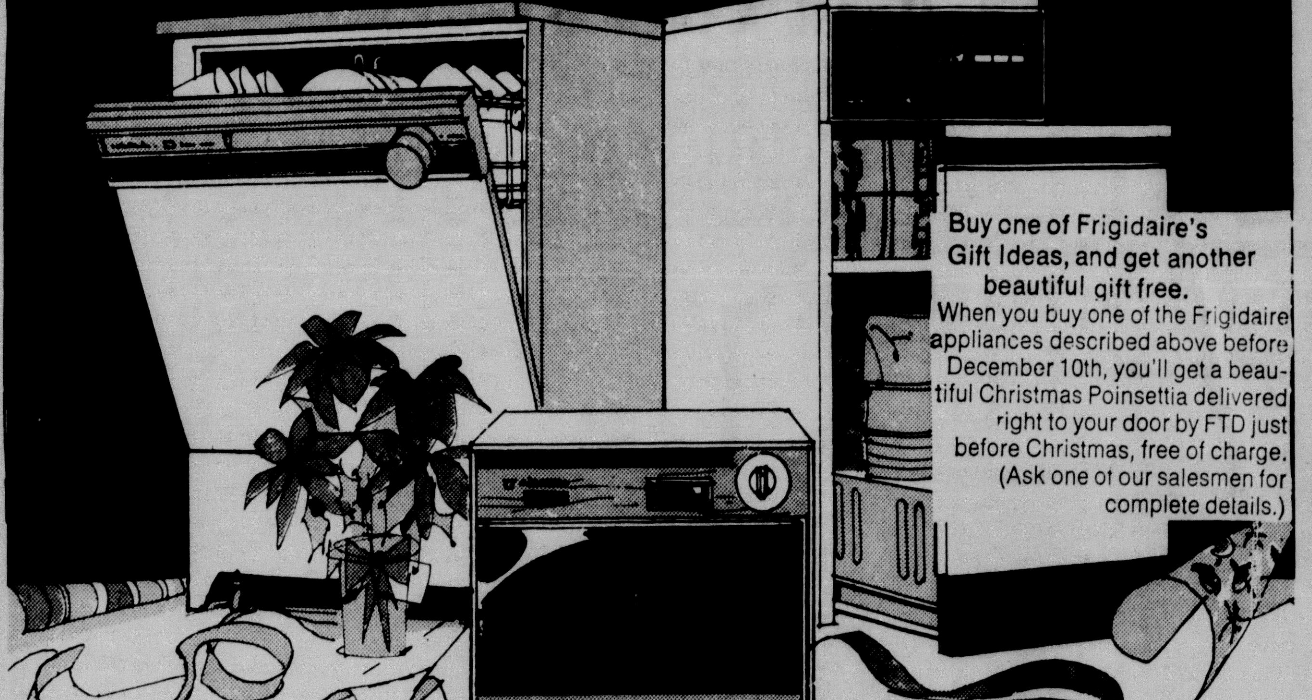

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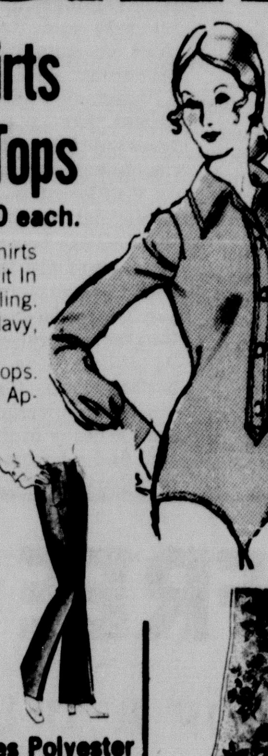

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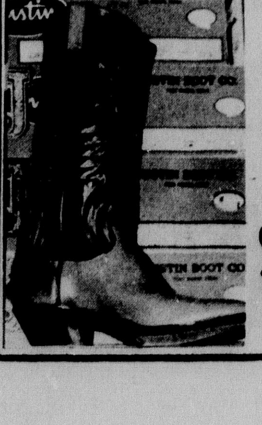

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Freeman-Stevens Vows Are Spoken

Miss Sharon Annette Freeman became the bride of Joe Don Stevens in a double-ring ceremony taking place Wednesday evening, Nov. 22, in the First United Methodist Church of Canyon. The Rev. Ray Custer of Grace Baptist Church read the vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Freeman of Rt. 1, Canyon.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. A.D. Stevens of Bovina.

Candelabra framed the altar where the couple stood, with baskets of white gladioli on each side.

Mrs. Cortez Dowlen, organist, played traditional wedding music and "Sunrise, Sunset." "The Wedding Song" was sung by Alicia and John Boone.

Miss Barbara Dickerson was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Lee Ann Schickedanz and Diana Boone. They wore long blue velvet gowns trimmed with white lace, designed with heart-shaped necklines and short sleeves. Each carried one white rose with fern and baby's breath and wore baby's breath in her hair. All wore gold crosses on chains, gifts of the bride.

Candlelighters were Rebecca Sue Freeman, sister of the bride, and Shelly Stevens, who wore dresses similar to the attendants'. Flower girls were Sabra Stevens and Melania Hartman. They wore short blue velvet dresses trimmed in white lace and carried baskets of white petals in white lace baskets.

Dale Hawkins was best man, and groomsmen were David Dixon and David Freeman, brother of the bride. Ushers were David Townsand and Skip Lovelady. Ringbearers were James and John Stevens, four and five-year-old nephews of Groom, who carried blue velvet pillows trimmed with white lace.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of sata peau with lace overlay, styled with fitted waist, long full sleeves, and Mandarin stand-up collar. Inserts of Galloon lace were used on sleeves and Galloon lace edged the skirt and sanctuary train. Her fingertip veil of tulle fell from a crown of seed pearls, and she carried a white Bible with camellias and a linen handkerchief given to her mother by the late Mrs. Ed Harrell.

Following the ceremony, a reception was given in the fellowship hall of the church. Mrs. Jackie Feder served the four-tiered bride's cake, and Miss Alicia Boone served punch. At the groom's table, Mrs. Ruth Bednorz served chocolate cake, and Mrs. Evelyn Soule served coffee.

As the couple left for a wedding trip to Colorado Springs, the bride was wearing a lilac mini-skirt dress with high ruffled neck and long sleeves.

After Dec. 1, the newlyweds will be at home at 2105 S. Taylor in Amarillo.

The bride is a 1971 graduate of Canyon High School and a member of Rainbow girls. She is now employed at High Plains Baptist Hospital.

The bridegroom graduated from Bovina High School and is now owner-operator of Stevens Hardware in Amarillo.

Mrs. Joe Don Stevens

Mrs. W.C. Black

Bank Employees Honor Mrs. Black

Mrs. W.C. Black, 1011 5th Ave., was honored by officers and employees of the First National Bank with a coffee last Friday afternoon from 2-3 p.m. on the occasion of her retirement.

Mrs. Black, wife of late bank president, Bill Black, has worked in various posts at the First National Bank for the past 19 years. After having broken an arm about six weeks ago, she decided to announce her retirement.

As parting gifts, the bank gave Mrs. Black a wristwatch, and the employees gave her a knitted cape and orchid corsage. Coffee and cake were served.

Friday also happened to be Mrs. Black's birthday. "But you don't have birthdays any more when you get to be such an age as mine," she laughingly commented.

Mrs. Clounch Honored On Ninetieth Birthday

Miss Lorena Piper hosted a birthday-Thanksgiving dinner to honor her grandmother, Mrs. Virgie Clounch, on her 90th birthday on Saturday, Nov. 25 in her home at 700 16th Street.

Ceramic pilgrims with a turkey and pumpkins served as the centerpiece on a table covered with a Thanksgiving cloth. The huge birthday cake was decorated with a family tree having all the nine children's names on the branches, and the years 1882-1972.

Mrs. Clounch received some 75 cards from all over the United States and numerous bouquets of flowers.

The honoree shared dinner with 42 people, including six of her nine children. The children and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tucker of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Miller of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Normal Clounch of Oxnard, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clounch of Torrance, Calif., Mrs. Mildred Hudson and D'Lyne of Perryton, and Mr. Jeff Clounch of Torrence, Calif.

Other relatives attending were her sister, Mrs. Jessie Rusk of Canyon, and Mrs. Noma Clounch, also of Canyon, along with grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, and nephews. Many friends dropped by during the afternoon and evening hours to extend greetings.

Miss Agnew, Bell United In Marriage

Miss Carolynne Agnew of Gordon, Texas, and William H. Bell, Jr., were united in marriage in a ceremony taking place at the First United Methodist Church on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 25. The Rev. J. Frank Peery read the vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. E.E. Agnew of Cisco and Mrs. M.R. Johnson of Roscoe. She is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clemment, 1209 9th Ave.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bell, 2600 13th Ave.

A graduate of Gordon High School, the bride attended West Texas State University for two years.

After graduating from Canyon High School, the bridegroom served with the U.S. Marine Corps. He is now attending West Texas State University.

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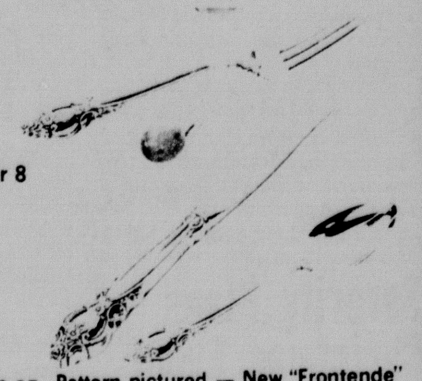

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New Programs For Students At University

West Texas State University inaugurates two new programs Monday to assist students in their academic educational experiences.

The university will initiate academic advisement services to all students and will call upon students to evaluate courses and faculty members through use of a questionnaire.

The student evaluation of courses and instructors is one of three self-study projects involving faculty, students and ex-students of the university.

Dr. Ray Malzahn, vice president for academic affairs, said, "At the present a faculty evaluation of courses and departmental requirements has been completed, the questionnaire for students evaluation is ready for use and the questionnaire for ex-students' evaluation is being developed.

"The primary purpose of the questionnaire being handed out to students beginning Monday is to establish where improvement is needed in the academic educational experience at WTSU."

The forms call for a one to six ranking on 30 questions. Space will be provided for additional comments. Student identification will not be required.

"Because the purpose of the questionnaire is to improve courses and instruction and not to publicize them, the data will be for institutional use only," Malzahn said.

A subcommittee of the Committee on Academic Educational Experiences has been responsible for researching, testing and constructing the student course evaluation form, he said.

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Miss Woodbridge Is Engaged To Hill's Son

Dr. and Mrs. J.P. Woodbridge of Pierson, Iowa, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Glenda Gay, to Dr. G. Eugene Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hill of 608 20th Street.

The wedding ceremony will be held on Dec. 31 in Pierson, Iowa.

At the present time both Miss Woodbridge and Dr. Hill are employed by the World Board of Missions of the United Methodist Church. Miss Woodbridge is a short term missionary and Dr. Hill is under contract for educational work in Chile. Both are assigned to the Educational Foundation of Santiago College in Santiago, Chile. She teaches science and biology in the Intermediate and Upper School. He is the principal and currently acting director of the Lower School. Santiago College is a Methodist related private school for both Chilean students as well as international students. About 95 per cent of the student body is Chilean.

Earlier this year, Miss Woodbridge and Dr. Hill made their engagement formal through a "ring exchange" ceremony. In this ceremony, which is traditional in Latin America, the couple exchanges their wedding bands and wear them on the right hand until the wedding.

The ceremony was attended by Dr. and Mrs. Woodbridge and their two daughters, Joni and Janie who were visiting Glenda in Santiago. Also present were several close friends who also teach at Santiago College.

Sorority Plans Christmas Events

Christmas activities were the focus of discussion at Tuesday night's meeting of Xi Kappa Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi in the home of Mrs. Johnny Robinson, 1007 7th St.

Members were urged to collect their treasures for donations to the invitational auction to be held at 8 p.m., Dec. 5, at the Girl Scout House. At the completion of the auction a German fruit cake will be given away by raffle.

A basket for a needy family in the Canyon area was made up with items brought by the women.

The group voted to purchase a wheel chair for donation to Neblett Memorial Hospital with proceeds from the Little Miss Canyon Pageant.

Lights Go On Tonite At WT

All's in readiness at West Texas State University for the breathtaking moment today when the more than 10,000 lights festooning six buildings and a 24-foot Christmas tree come ablaze in a fanfare of color and old-fashioned Christmas carols.

The Carol of Lights, scheduled for 8 p.m. on the southwest corner of the new Administration Building, formally ushers in the holiday season at WTSU with the illumination of the campus by multi-colored lights strung out on over three miles of electrical wire.

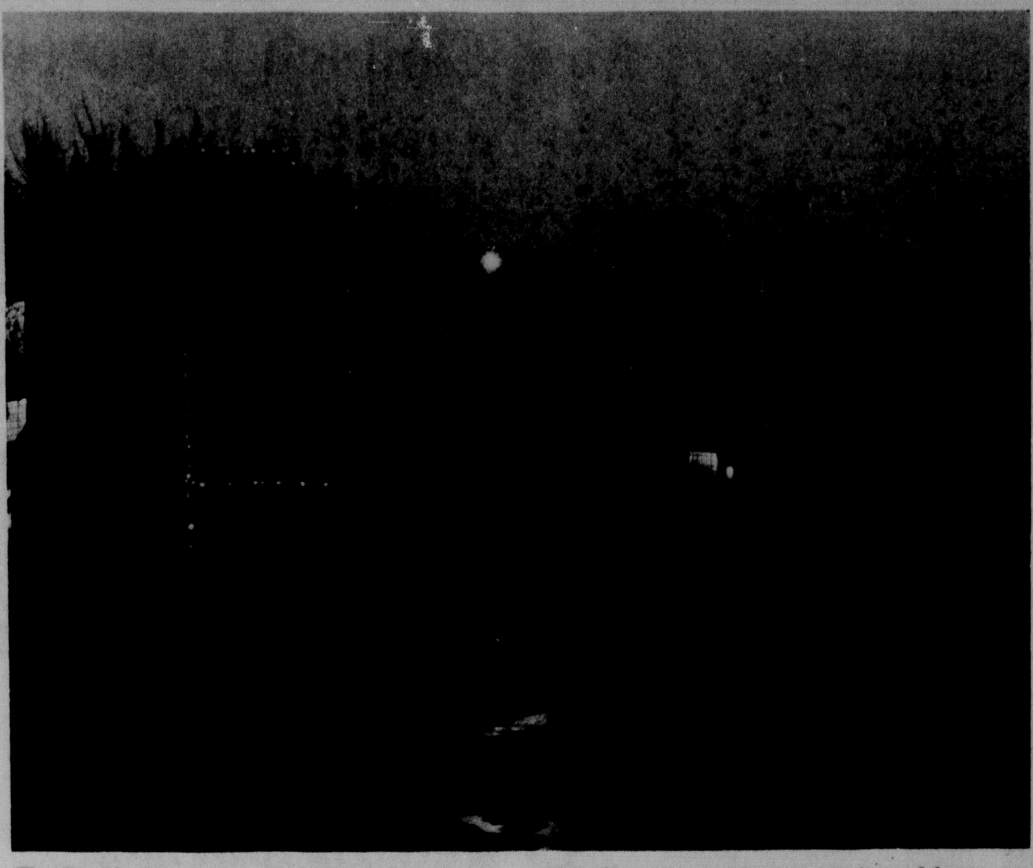
The annual seasonal show will boast for the first time a giant Christmas tree standing on the southside of the University Complex.

The tree was presented by the Texas Student Education Association and Kappa Alpha national social fraternity and is dedicated to WTSU football coach Gene Mayfield and his Buffalo football team which tied for first place this year in the Missouri Valley Conference.

Festivities will include musical presentations by the Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia glee club and the WTSU band under the direction of Dr. Gary Garner. Refreshments will be served.

Students and public will also have the opportunity to add their voices to such traditional Christmas favorites as "Deck the Halls," "Silent Night," and many others.

Buildings to be lighted include the Old Administration, Library and Science, University Complex South, new Administration and the Museum. The lights on the six structures and tree will be on through Jan. 1.



The Carol of Lights is scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. tonight on the West Texas State University campus and WTSU photographer Andy Hester was given a preview of the spectacle one evening last week.

Local Pen Women Elected To Office

Panhandle Pen Women, meeting Tuesday for luncheon and workshop at the Quality Motel in Amarillo, heard Mrs. Evelyn Nace of Pampa relate her experiences as writer of 30 paperback books and 300 articles and short stories.

In the business portion of the meeting, Mrs. Ann Brown and Mrs. Geneva Berry, both of Canyon, were elected vice presidents. Mrs. Brown is widely known in this area as columnist for The Canyon News and also writes fiction. Mrs. Berry is a writer of fiction and poetry.

Other Canyon pen women attending were Mrs. Anita Lowe, Mrs. Glenna Wilson, Mrs. Marjorie Brewer, Mrs. Ann Weaver, Mrs. Lois Clifford, and Mrs. Emilio Caballero.

Panhandle Pen Women is made up of about 50 area women who are published authors. A requirement for membership is that the writer must have sold at least two works for publication, although unpublished writers are welcomed as associate members to the meetings. At each bi-monthly meeting, members report on submissions of books, articles, stories and poetry made in the preceding two months.

Going somewhere? Or been? The Canyon News wants to know about it — and so do its readers.

School Board To Hold Annual Christmas Fete

The Canyon School Board meeting Tuesday night will be highlighted by that group's annual Christmas dinner to be held at the high school beginning at 7:30 p.m.

About 37 board members, their wives and school administration members will be served by the homemaking III class. The menu will include smoked and bar-b-qued turkey with trimmings.

The setting for the dinner will be "Christmas Texas Style" with centerpieces of hurricane lamps and western fences. A Christmas tree has been made from tumbleweeds and bandanas will be a part of the table decor.

The food is being prepared by about 10 members of homemaking III and eight girls selected from the various homemaking classes will serve.

The school's Show Choir, directed by Tom Jennings, will provide entertainment.

In charge of the dinner are Miss Janet Sargeant, Mrs. Janet Fincher and Mrs. Cathy Cameron, all of the high school homemaking department, and Mrs. Lynette Whitley of the junior high school.

After the dinner, the board will convene in the meeting room of the school to tend to normal business and to hear a report on the school transportation system.

The program, to be headed by Ray Schultz, the school's business manager, will be an informal briefing designed to inform the board and interested persons present of the transportation system and what it consists of.

Two Arraigned

Two men arrested in Clovis, N.M., last week in connection with the beating and robbery of a man who was thrown from a moving train in Canyon Monday were returned to the city Thursday and arraigned Friday on charges of robbery by assault.

Claude Elmer Thompson, 51, of Greenville, S.C., and James Edward Conklin, 37, of Waverly, Neb., appeared before Justice of the Peace W.A. "Bill" Wilson, who set bond at $2,000 a piece on the charges.

Earl Douglas Riggleman told officers last week he had boarded a west-bound Santa Fe train Monday at Amarillo with two men, who while passing through Canyon beat him, robbed him of $150 and threw him from the moving train.

Riggleman was taken to Neblett Hospital here where he was treated for possible broken bones, cuts and abrasions.

Mrs. Brown Made Officer Of Bank

Mrs. Sharon Brown, 2508 13th Ave., was one of the 13 staff members of the First National Bank of Amarillo advanced to higher positions, according to an announcement made this past week.

Mrs. Brown was promoted to officer status as assistant cashier in charge of the women's division of the bank's marketing department. She has been employed in that department since 1969, having served previously as an administrative assistant with the Capital National Bank of Houston.

Active in community affairs in Canyon and Amarillo, Mrs. Brown was named earlier this year as one of the "Outstanding Young Women of America for 1972." She served as chairman of Canyon Study Club's Halloween Carnival earlier this year, and was campaign director for the March of Dimes in 1972. She is a member of the Women's Division of the Canyon Chamber of Commerce and the First United Methodist Church.

The young Canyon woman is the wife of Attorney Jim Brown and has two children, Ronnie and Stevie, both 9.

Randy C. Bloodworth, Plainview senior, will be featured in a French horn recital at 4 p.m. Monday in the West Texas State University Fine Arts Theatre.

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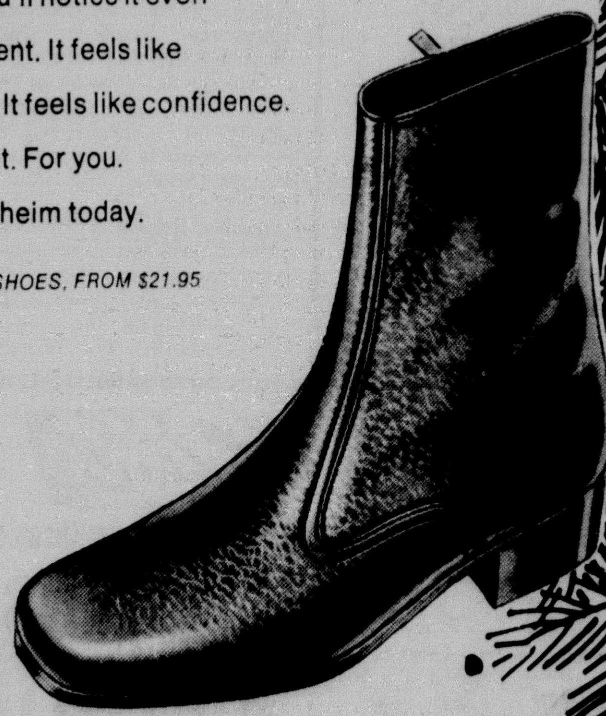

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Barbed Wire Is Hobby And Profit For Canyon Pair

Barbed wire has been depicted as the bane of the Plains cattlemen's existence during the 1880s.

Dave Corley, left, and Lloyd Welch display some of their collection of barbed wire. Not only are the two collectors, but they are mounting pieces of wire for gifts and sale.

Some historians list barbed wire as one of three inventions which won the West.

While that wire produced during the last two decades of the 19th century may have been cussed by cattlemen, it made a lot of men rich.

Today, although barbed wire still serves its main purpose on the range lands of the Plains, much of the fence cussed by ranchers almost a hundred years ago is collected and cherished by their sons.

A tax office employee and school principal here have discovered the pleasure of collecting barbed wire and have turned their hobby into a little profit.

Lloyd Welch, who works in the school-city tax office, and Dave Corley, junior high school principal, are neighbors who team up to search for rare pieces of barbed wire.

They teamed up Saturday to sell some mounted and framed varieties of wire during the Rotary Club flea market at the junior livestock building.

Corley and Welch admit they're just beginners when it comes to collecting barbed wire.

They said more than 500 patents have been approved for varieties of barbed wire and they have examples of about 60 of them.

The two neighbors were introduced to collecting wire by Mack White, shop teacher at the junior high school, who gave them some samples to get started.

One thing led to another and the two soon found themselves enthralled by the hunt. They also found themselves in the Canyon city dump looking for specimens.

Later, they began visiting area ranches to obtain wire pieces from old fences.

"After people find out you're doing it, they'll tell you where there's some or bring you a stick," Welch said.

When they first started their collections, Welch and Corley were unlearned about barbed wire.

"I figured there were probably about 40 varieties and we could probably get hold of about half of that with no trouble," Welch said. "I never dreamed there were so many."

Since beginning their collections, the two have read literature about the history of barbed wire and keep up with the collection field by reading various publications like "The Barbed Wire Gazette."

Corley said most of the more than 500 patents existing for barbed wire were taken out in the 1870s and 80s. Wire produced and marketed today is still based on those early patents.

Figures produced by Corley indicate that 10,000 pounds of barbed wire were sold in 1874. Two years later, the number of pounds sold had jumped to 2,840,000 and in 1878, the number of pounds sold had jumped to 26,840,000.

Corley said the majority of the patents results will not be found in the Texas Panhandle.

"Most of these were never used in this part of the country," he said, noting that settlement of the Panhandle came after the 1870s and 80s.

If the two collectors can't find wire they want they do the next logical thing — they try to find someone who has some and buy it.

Buying, selling and trading barbed wire has mushroomed all over the country, they say, and shows and conventions are held annually to promote exchange.

The oldest piece of wire in the Corley-Welch collection dates back to 1874.

Collecting barbed wire appeals to Corley and Welch because it gives them a certain feeling of kinship with the Old West. Besides, they say, it gives them an opportunity to "get out and walk around in the fresh air."

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Laramore, Baby Boy, Mr. & Mrs. Gary B., Canyon
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City Commission To Hear From Dr. G. Mason Kahn

The Canyon City Commission Monday night will hear Dr. G. Mason Kahn, director of the bi-city, bi-county health department, present a program concerning the activities of the multi-agency health service.

Dr. Kahn is expected to go into how allocations are made to this health unit by the various participating agencies.

The commission is expected to discuss possible creation of a City Board of Development as earlier proposed by the Canyon Chamber of Commerce.

The chamber had requested that up to one per cent of the city's general fund budget be used, as allowed by state law, for the procurement of tourist business and industry.

According to the commission agenda, a member will also be appointed to the library board.

At the city meeting two weeks ago, a reward of $250 was posted for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who caused heavy damage to the East water tank about a month ago.

Monday night, the commission is expected to consider the adoption of a city ordinance which would offer a standing reward of $250 for the arrest and conviction of anyone found destroying city property in excess of $50.

Damage to the water tank had been estimated at from $300 to $500. The commission two weeks ago asked city attorney Elton Cox to draw up a proposed ordinance regarding the standing reward offer.

In other action Monday night, the commission is scheduled to consider a letter from the city planning and zoning commission recommending that a portion of the city adjacent to the proposed McDonald's Restaurant be rezoned from one and two family dwellings only to commercial.

The planning and zoning board last week voted to recommend the zone change despite considerable opposition voiced by one homeowner representing several nearby residents, and by the Methodist Church of Canyon.

Should the city commission accept the planning and zoning board's recommendation, another public hearing would be set prior to final action.

The commission also plans to further discuss a request by Southwestern Public Service Co., regarding a fuel adjustment clause.

Two weeks ago, the commission expressed its intent to grant the utility a municipal rate increase to affect only the city, but approval of the fuel adjustment clause request was held up pending further investigation.

Visitors wishing to discuss city business with members of the council, or to ask questions concerning the operation of city government will also be heard.

The meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. at the Canyon Community Center.

WT Exes Name Officers

The incumbents were re-elected last week to continue in their offices at the helm of the West Texas Ex-students, Inc.

Executive director Hank Brown said Wayne Rankin of Plainview was re-elected as president, and Thelma Evans of Tulia was re-elected vice president.

Joe Sneed of Amarillo was re-elected to his post as first vice president and Earl Whitten of Bovina was re-elected as second vice president.

Bill Horten of Dalhart was re-elected secretary and Wix Price, Jr. of Borger was re-elected treasurer.

The terms are for one year.

New directors to serve on the ex-students board, Joel Plunk of Pampa, Dr. Lindsey Taylor of Amarillo, Don Patterson of Amarillo and John Blaine of Plainview, begin their terms Jan. 1, 1973.

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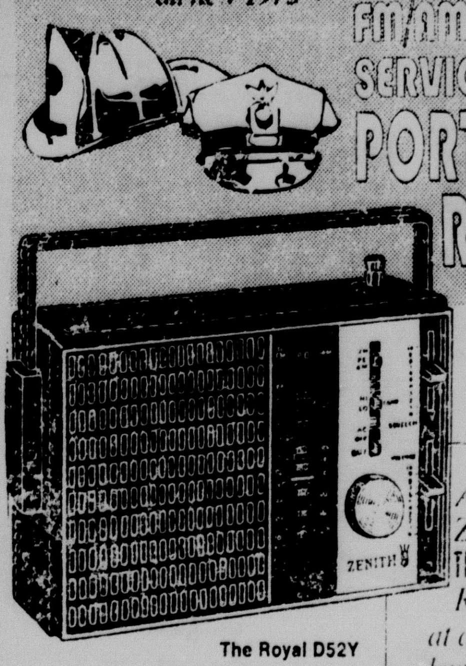

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Buffs Down Corpus Christi 77-71

The West Texas State University basketball team, fresh from a 77-71 opening season victory, hosts Southern Mississippi at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Amarillo Civic Center.

The Buffaloes of coach Dennis Walling pulled away in the final half to defeat Corpus Christi Friday night in their opener.

The second half scoring and rebounding of freshman Reginald Ramey allowed the Buffs to break open a tight game.

Sparked by Ramey, who had been sitting on the bench since late in the first half with three fouls, the Buffaloes pushed to a 59-52 lead at the midway point of the second half and held on for the victory.

Tommy Jordan tallied 24 points to lead the Buffs in that department. Ramey and Ray Golson contributed 12 each and Ramey pulled in 13 rebounds.

Husky Ron Malone scored 20 to lead Corpus Christi and he also hauled in 15 rebounds. Lulius Howard, a 6-8, 245 pounder, pulled in 16 rebounds to lead both teams in that department.

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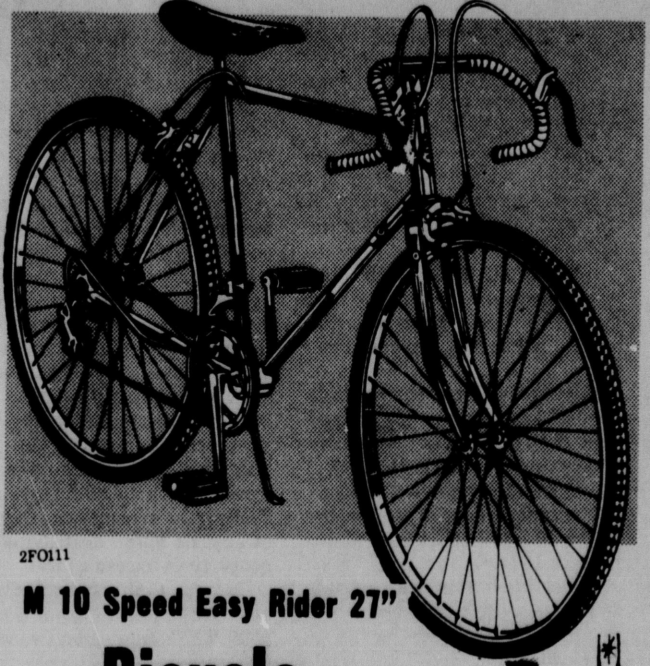

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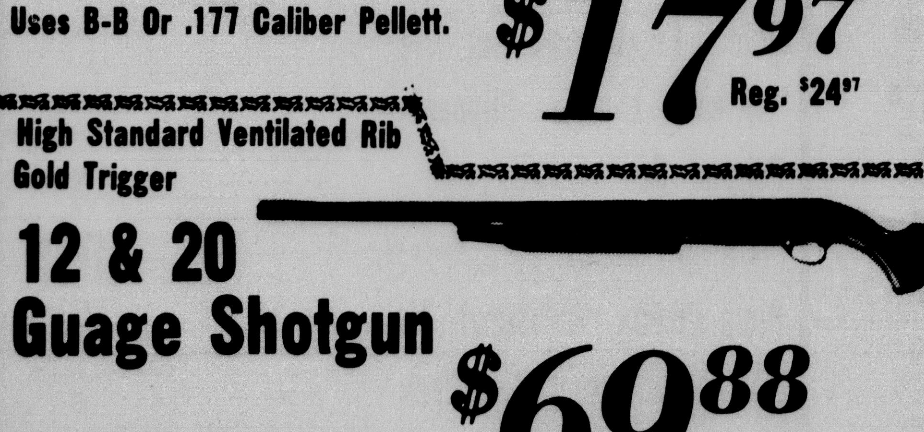

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King Donovan and Imogene Coca pose briefly following an afternoon session Friday with students at West Texas State University. They are winding up an appearance in "Send Me No Flowers" at the Amarillo Little Theatre.

Santa Fe Welding Plant Means Area Jobs, Money

The $5 million Santa Fe plant to be constructed in Randall County near Hollywood Road will have a great economic impact, not only in added payroll earnings, but also in tax benefits for the Canyon Independent School District and the county general fund, spokesmen said in Canyon.

Conway Kuykendall, tax assessor-collector for the school district, said the proposed installation would result in at least $34,000 in school taxes, based on estimated construction costs and present tax rates.

If the facility is to be evaluated at $5 million, the taxable sum would be $2 million, or 40 per cent of the total. With the present tax rate of $1.70 per $100, said Kuykendall, the school tax would come to the estimated $34,000.

According to the tax assessor-collector, tax on equipment used at the welding plant, in the form of inventory tax, could swell the school tax figure to an even higher total.

Randall County would also come into the picture, said tax assessor-collector Audrey Bruse.

Based on the estimated value of $5 million, said Mrs. Bruse, the county tax bill would come to $11,220, should the current tax rate still be in effect.

The county uses a 17 per cent evaluation with a tax of $1.32 per $100.

Both tax officials expressed satisfaction that the rail plant was being located within the county and school district.

Dr. Dudley Moore, president of the Canyon Independent School District, called the coming plant "a great thing" for the area. "It represents a stable and substantial source," Dr. Moore added.

The announcement regarding the new facility was made Thursday by John S. Reed, Santa Fe president, while he and other company officials were in Amarillo during a stop-over in their Chicago to California inspection tour of the line.

According to Reed, construction of the plant would begin in February with completion scheduled for late 1973.

The location will be just west of the Santa Fe right-of-way, and running from Hollywood Road to Farmer's Lane. The area covers just over 37½ acres and is 315 feet wide and one mile long. The property was purchased from various individuals, said Santa Fe spokesman Herman Hill.

Hill said the plant will employ about 60 persons with 30 to 35 of those expected to transfer from Winslow, Ariz., and Pampa when portable plants in those cities are closed.

The arrival of the transferred employees could have an important effect on housing in the county, should any of the move-in families choose to locate near the plant, Hill said.

The fact that some 25 new jobs will be created, over and above the transferred personnel, could also add to the county's overall economy, the company spokesman said.

Hill said the Randall County plant will weld 39-foot sections of rail into quarter-mile sections, and will also pre-fabricate 39-foot track sections to be used on industrial sidings and other secon-

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In Prison For Rape Of 3-Year-Old

Convicted Rapist Wants Retrial Here

A retrial for Anthony Martin Zilka, 40, serving a term of life imprisonment for the rape of a 3-year-old girl in 1964, loomed as a definite possibility last week.

Attornies for Zilka, found guilty of raping the young daughter of his common-law wife, have filed a writ of habeas corpus which specifies the former farm laborer is being held illegally in Huntsville.

Zilka, who came with a woman and her children to the Canyon area in February 1963, was assessed a life prison term in late May 1964 after a day of testimony in 47th District Court here.

The jury's verdict and sentence was upheld later by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

Randall County Dist. Atty. George Dowlen said Zilka filed a writ of habeas corpus in 1969, but that writ was denied by 47th District Court Judge E.E. "Gene" Jordan.

"Now a new writ has been filed with the assistance of the attornies employed by the state to help inmates at the penitentiary," Dowlen said.

The new writ contends that during Zilka's trial in Canyon in May 1964, his testimony was impeached by the introduction of evidence that he'd been previously convicted of two felonies in Pennsylvania.

"And, it's Zilka's contention that he had no attorney in the Pennsylvania cases and therefore the convictions are void and he should be granted a new trial in Randall County," Dowlen said, "on the basis that in 1965 the U.S. Supreme Court ruled on a case and said all defendants must have an attorney in felony cases."

Dowlen said similar cases have been tried in other states and these cases "make me think his writ has some vailidity.

"The indications are that you do have to apply that 1965 ruling."

And, if Judge Jordan sees the matter in the same light, Zilka could return to Canyon for another trial on the 1964 charges.

"If the case is returned to Randall County for a new trial, it would be incumbent on us to dig up the witnesses and try it again," Dowlen said.

Zilka was arrested Jan. 9, 1964 after he and his common-law wife had taken her 3-year-old daughter to Northwest Texas Hospital for treatment.

Zilka told arresting officers three stories of how the girl was injured but never made a formal confession.

Bond was denied by Justice of the Peace W.A. "Bill" Wilson.

Five months later, as Zilka's common-law wife sat in the courtroom before his trial, she exclaimed "We're going to get married if he gets off."

She said Zilka had always been good to her and her children.

Later, following the presentations by defense and prosecution, Zilka openly wept outside the jury deliberation room as he awaited his fate.

Coca, Donovan Dedicated Pair

BY JUNE DAYEN

When people start listing her credits, amiable Imogene Coca modestly explains, "We had producers, directors and camera men who were terribly good."

And when asked how they happened to get into acting in the first place, she and King Donovan, seasoned troupers of stage, film, and television, talk about how they were born and bred into the theater.

But if you were sitting in the audience with young drama students at West Texas State University last Thursday afternoon, you realized there had to be other explanations for the kind of spectacular success Coca achieved on "Your Show of Shows" in the early '50's. The TV classic ran 90 live minutes of prime time every Saturday night for five winters.

It's the voice, the answer might have dawned—the voice and the face.

Because Imogene Coca still has that "grande dame" voice that luckily never went with her clown face—the big rolling eyes, the brows that could move up half an inch in exaggerated surprise, the turned up nose, and the mouth that might suddenly break into a wide watermelon smile.

No, that cultured voice with its cloying soprano heights or lullaby lows never matched the gamin face.

Only rarely did she ham it up to full power Thursday afternoon for the kids from the drama department, who were not quite or barely arrived in this world when Coca and Caesar's classic "Your Show of Shows" was glueing America to their sets.

Audiences can thank director Max Liebman, who long ago caught her in summer reviews, for discovering the hilarious possibilities of comedy in Imogene Coca's "madam-chairman" voice paired with her wistful Raggedy-Ann face.

Now, in real life, Coca and Donovan complement each other in much the same way Caesar and Coca did in the old domestic comedy scenes.

Donovan, an "old lion" of the stage whose mind is a crammed storehouse of memorabalia about the theater, does most of the talking. Coca slips in a punch line or relates amusing anecdotes.

"You find the best dramatic actors and comedians are the shyest, quietest, palest—" he starts out.

"Dullest—" she inserts.

"People in the world," he finishes. "If one of them showed up at an office to apply for work, he'd never get the job."

Both passionately dedicated to theater, Coca and Donovan nevertheless gave cautious ad-

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Computerization Could Be Delayed

It may be 1974 before the county tax roll can be computerized, the director of the West Texas State University computer center said Friday.

County officials, particularly assessor-collector Mrs. Audrey Bruse, had hoped the 1973 tax roll would be figured on computers at WTSU.

"The big problem is that even if we get all the programs written, I don't think we can get all that in there quick enough," computer center director Durwood Henderson said. "We're looking at it, but I don't think we can get it done that quick.

"We think maybe it might take one girl one full year to input the data."

Henderson said figures are not yet available on how much the conversion and continued operation of a computerized system for collecting taxes might cost county taxpayers.

County commissioners last week eyed the computerization of the county tax roll last week and a committee consisting of Bill Butler, Jim Fletcher, John Fulgenzi and the county's outside auditor was named to investigate the possibility and make formal recommendations.

Several counties in Texas already have computerized tax rolls and representatives of some of those counties gave the News a hint of what lies in store for the local tax office.

County Judge Ed Keyes of San Angelo said when the county tax roll was first placed on computer in his county, the costs averaged around $12,000 per year.

"They're probably higher than that now," he said.

Keyes said the tax office uses key-punch machines for input to the computer, on which time is leased by the county from a San Angelo insurance company.

The judge said the computerized tax roll for his county has proven satisfactory.

"We have no complaints at all," he said. "But, we were a little slow getting started."

Keyes confirmed Randall County officials' feelings last week that computerization of the tax roll probably will not allow the tax office to reduce its personnel.

"It didn't cut down on personnel at all," he said. "But, I think it kept us from adding extra people."

He said the San Angelo tax office has about 20 employees.

T.J. Clark, tax assessor-collector for Nacogdoches County, said the county tax roll there is computerized and the computer operation is handled by an out-

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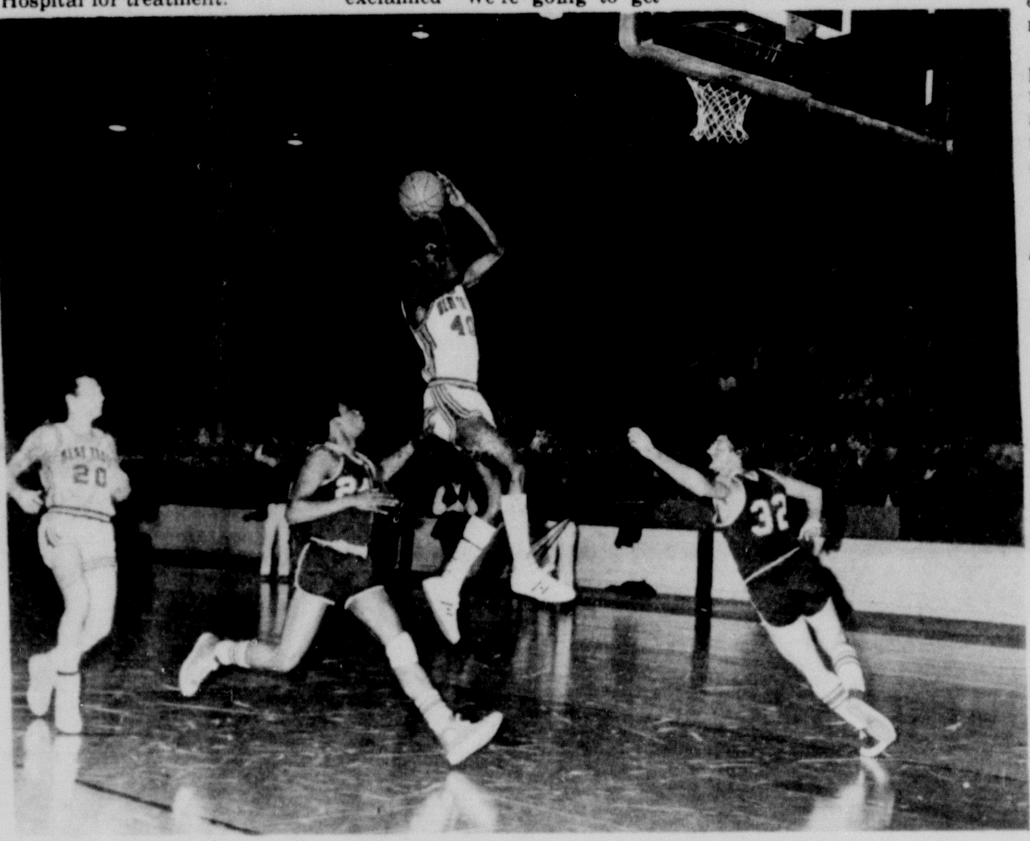

Number 40, Tommy Jordan, drives for the basket during Friday's West Texas State 77-71 victory over the University of Corpus Christi. Kyle Sunderman, number 20, follows the fast break.

Agents Hear Rate Decline In Insurance

Three local insurancemen were in Austin last week to add their voices to others in the insurance industry as they called for a substantial decrease in homeowners insurance costs in the majority of Texas.

George Blackwell, Bill Davis and Cary Magness attended a hearing Wednesday before the State Board of Insurance.

"It appears at this time that at long last we're going to experience a decrease instead of increase," Magness said after returning from the state capital. "It pleases me as it does other agents."

Magness said the rate reductions, some of them substantial, are due to the decrease in number of catastrophic storms and accidents to property in the north and northwest portion of the state.

He said no major catastrophes have occurred in the region in the past two years.

The last major storm damage was recorded when tornadoes struck mid-Lubbock causing an estimated $200 million in damages. Before that, a major hail storm in 1969 caused about $30 million in damages to homes and businesses in Amarillo.

Magness explained that homeowners' rates in a region are affected by what ever losses are experienced anywhere within that region.

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New Clues Sought In Area Murder

Ballistics test results concerning the mid-November slaying of William Horace Patterson returned to Randall County Thursday as inconclusive.

Long awaited by Sheriff Cliff Longest, the results from the Department of Public Safety laboratory in Austin failed to link a 25-year-old suspect with the murder.

The suspect had been released earlier last week on a $2,000 bond posted in Potter County on a charge of carrying a prohibited weapon.

Longest said Thursday the test results mean sheriff's deputies must "start all over" in their search for the person or persons who pumped six slugs into Patterson, a 57-year-old itinerant, the night of Nov. 17.

"We'll have to start looking for other suspects," he said. "But, we'll keep that fellow (the 25-year-old) in mind."

The suspect arrested not long after Patterson's body was discovered on a dirt road north of Canyon was released from Potter County jail last week because evidence turned up so far by investigators is insufficient to hold the suspect on murder charges, according to Randall County Dist. Atty. George Dowlen.

Court Lodge Ruling Seen As Precedent For Masons

Last week's ruling by the Texas Supreme Court which disqualified an Amarillo Masonic lodge as a charitable institution and which makes the lodge subject to taxation could have impact on the Masonic Lodge in Canyon.

That's the opinion of the city and district attornies.

But, tax assessor-collectors here aren't exactly sure about what to do now that the ruling has been handed down.

The Supreme Court decision made public Wednesday upholds a 47th District Court ruling that the lodge is subject to taxation since charitable activities do not occur at the lodge itself.

The ruling also struck down as unconstitutional legislation exempting all property of fraternal organizations from taxes so long as the property was owned and used for charitable, benevolent, religious and educational purposes.

"The Supreme Court says the constitution only permits legislation to exempt purely public charities and the Masonic lodge is not purely a public charity," said Randall County Dist. Atty. George Dowlen. "The whole thing revolves around what the building is being used for.

"The Masons own and operate across the country various hospitals, charitable hospitals for burned children, crippled children, and those hospitals will still be considered charitable and will be exempt from taxes.

"But, the lodge itself is not used entirely for charitable purposes and therefore is not exempt from taxation."

City Attorney Elton Cox pointed out that although the Supreme Court ruling last week referred only to the Amarillo Masonic Lodge case, the court set a precedent in its ruling which will apply across the state.

"It clearly sets a precedent to me," Cox said. "I imagine the tax assessor is familiar with the case and will put not only the Masonic Lodge here but maybe other properties owned by other organizations claiming to be charitable on the tax rolls.

"My feeling is that now all tax assessors will look more closely at the organizations before they're classified as charitable."

City-School tax assessor-collector Conway Kuykendall and county assessor-collector Mrs. Audrey Bruse are not sure what their next move should be.

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Agriculture Degree Is Okayed For University By State Board

Approval was given Friday for West Texas State University to offer a master of agriculture degree.

WTSU would be only the second school in the state to offer such a degree to students. Texas A&M currently offers such a degree.

The Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System announced approval during a meeting in El Paso.

Dr. Kenneth Laycock, vice president for planning and development, attended the meeting as WTSU's representative.

The master of agriculture degree would be a professional, 36-hour non-thesis degree requiring a 3-month management training period and a professional paper.

According to the degree request submitted Friday, the degree is primarily designed for area residents possessing bachelors degrees to continue and upgrade their educations in the field of agriculture.

Currently, the university offers masters of science degrees in animal and plant sciences in cooperation with Texas Tech University and Texas A&M University.

The cooperative programs would be continued.

"This is a professional degree with many of the courses being taught at night and on Saturday, in order to serve the people of the region involved in the agriculture industry," the degree request states. "Most of the students seeking this degree will already be engaged in the industry."

The request further states that the School of Agriculture is the only school at WTSU which does not offer a graduate degree.

"We believe this is a most unique degree, which will serve our region and not duplicate or dilute programs at other state colleges and universities," the request says.

It is projected that enrollment for the new degree will be about 50 students next year continuing through 1977.

In terms of faculty needed to teach the program, the request states that the teaching responsibility will be partially absorbed by the current faculty. But, additional faculty will be required.

"The source of students is already available from a strong undergraduate program and professional agricultureal employees of the region," the request states.

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Phone Calls Obscene

Obscene phone callers are at it again in Canyon.

One local family reported receiving obscene phone calls for three weeks at any time of day.

The calls finally ended when the caller, apparently the same one each time, was finally told "I really feel sorry for you. You're sick. Why don't you just go to bed?"

Another local man was awakened early one morning by a female caller who spewed forth with obscene language.

Mike Patrick, manager for Bell Telephone Co. in Canyon, con-

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Burton, Caballero, Guy

Three Professors Nominated

Three West Texas State University professors were nominated Saturday by President James P. Cornette for the statewide Minnie Stevens Piper awards.

Nominated were Dr. Robert Burton, chairman of the geology department, Dr. Emilio Caballero, chairman of the art department, and Dr. Duane Guy, history department chairman. The Faculty Council selects the nominees.

The Minnie Stevens Piper Foundation of San Antonio, founded in 1950, annually honors 10 Texas educators for outstanding academic, scientific and scholarly achievement.

The award includes certificates naming them "Piper Professor of 1973" and $1,000 stipends. Next year's recipients will be announced in the spring.

Dr. Lowell Harrison, former professor of history and head of the department, was the last WTSU faculty member to receive the award in 1965.

Burton, a native of Borger, has taught at WTSU for 13 years. He received bachelor and master degrees from Texas Tech University and a Ph.D. in 1965 from the University of New Mexico.

He has authored four articles and has worked on four additional research projects.

In addition, he has delivered numerous speeches to area organizations and geological

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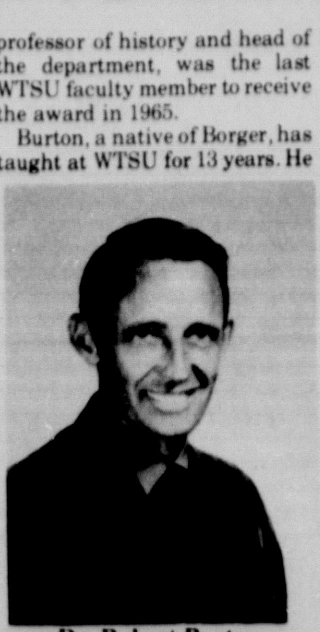

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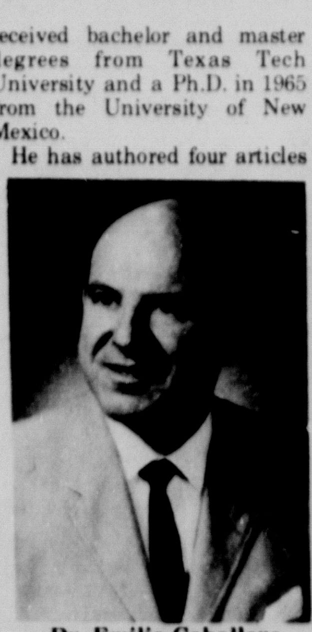

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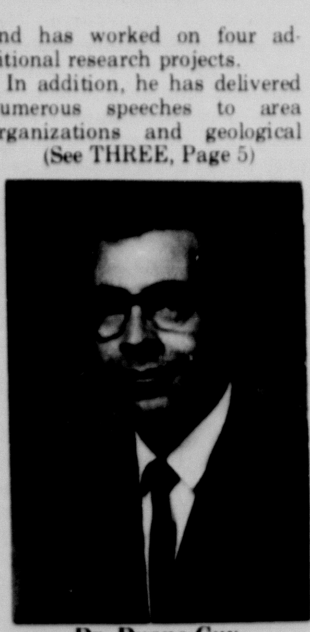

Dr. Duane Guy

Our World

Suit May Bring Reality To Schools

By ANN BROWN

It was inevitable.

An 18-year-old illiterate is reportedly suing the San Francisco school system for more than $1 million because they granted him a diploma without teaching him to read and write above the fifth-grade level.

The suit contends that "Peter N. Doe" completed 12 years in San Francisco's public school system, with a normal attendance record, and that he was not a disciplinary problem.

Names as defendants in the suit were the San Francisco school supt., the state and local boards of education and their individual members. Also included was Wilson Riles, California's Supt. of Public Instruction.

Dr. Max Rafferty, the former Calif. Supt. of Public Instruction fought against social promotion, and repeatedly warned his colleagues of the dangers inherent in graduating illiterates. They voted him out of office.

If "Peter N. Doe" wins his suit, it will open up a Pandora's box that could destroy our present public school system. Our Country is teeming with functionally illiterate high school graduates. How many schools will escape a suit?

Many college freshmen cannot spell or write an intelligible sentence. One freshman wrote a one-paragraph (less than a page) autobiography that contained 23 misspelled words, and not a single article.

The student proudly stated she was determined to get a college degree—even if she had to spend 5 years in college as she had in high school. She failed, however, to survive the first semester.

As long as state colleges are required to admit any student who graduates from an accredited high school (the above student held a diploma from a AAAA school), college will continue to be a frustrating experience for illiterates, a headache to their teachers, and an increasing burden to the taxpayers.

A judgment favoring "Peter N. Doe" should remove the all-men-are-created-equal blindfolds from our school authorities who have endorsed social promotion. They would surely be forced to admit that students do not graduate with equal skills.

Several educational authorities have publicly repudiated standardized intelligence tests. They did not, however, explain why students who score low on IQ tests cannot perform on the same level as students who score high on them.

Some interesting questions should arise in the "Doe" hearing. Almost everyone knows some student who received an adequate education in the California public school system. Why not "Peter?"

Any student who could spend 12 years—without at least becoming literate—in a school where other students progress normally must be lacking either intelligence or integrity. And what school dispenses either?

No individual teachers were reportedly named in the suit. Teachers who have been required to promote illiterates probably have little sympathy for the defendants.

Educational authorities have apparently been so deafened by the roar of "equality" they have been unable to hear the protests of the teachers. As a rule, teachers have decried social promotion from its beginning.

Parents are understandably a little lacking in objectivity. But even parents should realize that a student who cannot earn a high school diploma cannot hold a job that requires one.

The average American has an IQ of 100. For every student who has an IQ above average there is likely to be one with an IQ below average.

Someone is always needed to mow the lawns and trim the hedges. If one is not educable, should he not be grateful for simple work that enables him to earn his own living?

When anyone attempts to live in a dream world, he is scheduled for a rude awakening. Perhaps "Peter N. Doe's" $1 million suit will bring our educational system back to reality. If so, it will be a blessing to students, teachers, and potential employers.

EDITORIALS AND *Editorial Features*

City Desk

Meetings Open at Tech

The fact that I was denied admission to a West Texas State University faculty meeting last week by Dr. T. Paige Carruth, vice president for student affairs, was the source of some amusement to many faculty members I talked with later.

"Why would anybody in their right mind want to go to a faculty meeting?" several asked me. "We go, but we always come out asking ourselves why in the world we went."

I really wasn't too intent on getting into the faculty meeting, as a matter of fact. But, I thought something of general interest might result from the meeting and I tried.

Had my desire been stronger, I have no doubt I would have gone in.

An attorney general's opinion is simply that. It's hardly the law of the land.

In fact, I've had a bit of trouble finding the law of the land on this particular subject. Seems it's just not addressed and there are certainly no court cases on it.

But, whether I could or could not have legally entered the faculty meeting is hardly the question.

The question is why faculty meetings shouldn't be open to the public.

Down at Texas Tech, I've learned, they seem to be a little less defensive and secretive.

The same afternoon I was denied entrance to a WTSU faculty meeting, a reporter from the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal was sitting in a faculty meeting at Texas Tech. His report appeared the next day and described a faculty-administration discussion over tenure and salaries.

The faculty even expressed some dissatisfaction with the Tech tenure policy in the open meeting.

While I don't hold Tech up as the most liberal school in the state, I would have to say its administration is quite a bit more enlightened about public relations than the administration at WTSU.

What Dr. Cornette, WTSU president, has trouble remembering is that the university is a public institution, paid for by public tax money and used by members of the public.

He may run the place, but he doesn't own it.

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A Mexican-American curriculum conference was going on out at the university this weekend for area teachers. It was the second of two conferences on the same subject.

I understand that the meal served during the last conference to the Mexican-Americans and Anglos in attendance was without lettuce.

It seems WTSU planners discovered that the lettuce purchased for consumption on campus was not picked by union laborers.

To avoid embarrassment, they decided not to serve lettuce with the meal.

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Parents often paint themselves in a corner without really realizing it.

My wife, three-year-old daughter and I were dining in a local restaurant last week when I discovered once again the sharp wits a three-year-old can exhibit.

D'Arcy (my daughter) loves to dance and she doesn't care where she is to put on an exhibition. If there's music, she wants to dance and unless she's stopped, she'll do it.

Like most three-year-olds, she also has a vivid imagination and her favorite playmate is Snow White. She spends a lot of her time dancing with Snow White and every once in a while, she'll dance with Pinnochio.

Well, the juke box was blaring as we waited for our dinner, and suddenly D'Arcy jumped from her chair and pranced around the room in her favorite dance step.

My wife, embarrassed, of course, jumped up, grabbed the kid and plunked her back down in her chair.

"D'Arcy, we don't dance in restaurants," my wife said sternly. "You don't see anybody else dancing, do you?"

"Yeh," D'Arcy replied as she pointed to the middle of the room. "Snow White is," and she hopped again from her chair. **C. Wilson**

Siftin' With Sands

Old Calendars Make Good Reading

BY JIM SANDS

Did you ever wonder just what was going on in and around Canyon in the year 1964?

Well, I didn't either until I noticed last week that my desk contained a memo calendar used, at times at least, by someone charged with keeping up with such things that year.

By some stretch of the imagination, one might even assume that the user had been a reporter.

At any rate, the user didn't get around to making an entry until Jan. 3, at which time the only thing going seemed to be sugar beets.

Three days later, there was mention of a jailbreak and also something about "new arithmetic." Of course, there is always the possibility that the reporter was simply trying to figure how to get out of a tough problem.

On Jan. 20, a notation was made about "WT fones" and I assumed that there must have been some drastic change-over taking place at the university regarding the telephone system.

At random dates, on through March 9, the same notation about the "fones" cropped up every so often.

On or about Feb. 4, it seemed that Peter, Paul and Mary were here, or coming or had just left.

A note made on Feb. 8 indicated the need for a story on the "poll tax," if you can remember that far back, and on Feb. 11 there was an interesting little bit about "checking on the trash man."

I'm still wondering about that one, and possibly why the trash man needed checking on.

Ten days later I found what looked like a grocery list but for a reporter it contained too many food items in comparison to such necessary items as aspirins, cigarettes and foot plasters.

On March 4, mention was made of a "campus raid," but it did not elaborate on the actual type. If memory serves me correctly, that was somewhere back near the days of the "panty" things.

After a rally at Umbarger was mentioned on March 7, the page for the 24th of the month listed only the words, "late check."

Could it be that some fantastic story was breaking and required last minute attention...or could it have been simply in regard to tardy pay...or payment.

The user of the pad must have taken an extended vacation during the months of April and May, getting back only in time for spring registration at WT.

The bowlers held a banquet on June 5, it seems, and that month saw five men's softball teams spring to life. That same summer it was indicated that six "pee wee teams" would be in action.

On June 16, according to the notes, some school hereabouts was getting a new coach, or possibly coaches, and a week later it appeared that someone named B. Lake was involved in some sort of family boating and camping.

On closer inspection however, I finally determined that the note was simply that Buffalo Lake was getting ready for those two outdoor activities.

From June 29, when it was all Austrian sheep dogs and boy scouts, there was only one entry forthcoming until Oct. 26 when it was mentioned that the Canyon Capers would be at the livestock barn from 8 to 11 p.m. "What kind of capers," I thought.

The in-between note had mentioned "Greenbelt Bowl" and I assumed it had something to do with competition between the practicers of the art of self defense. At least I had heard of such things as "black belts."

I was really interested in looking back over the pages of time, but like most reporters, the user of the calendar pad apparently got lazy and began to trust to memory.

In fact I almost always rely on memory and seldom does it let me down. I'd list those times if I could remember any of them.

Patricia Ann Wieck

Miss Wieck Dies Here

Patricia Ann Wieck, 19, of Umbarger, died about 5 a.m. Thursday at Neblett Hospital.

She had been a junior student at West Texas State University majoring in accounting.

Rosary was said Friday night at LaGrone Funeral Chapel. Requiem mass was scheduled at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Umbarger with the Rt. Rev. Mons. Matthew Schafle, pastor, officiating.

Pallbearers included Tom Haschke, Robert Friemel, Kenneth Wieck, Mike Wieck, Jim Grabber and Harold Bertrand.

Miss Wieck was a native of Verona, Mo. She was born April 16, 1953.

An honor student, she graduated from Canyon High School in 1971.

At WTSU, she was a pledge of Kappa Delta Sorority. She worked in the office at Neblett Hospital. She was a member of the St. Mary's Catholic Church at Umbarger.

Survivors include parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Wieck of Umbarger; brothers, Robert J. of Amarillo, Fred of Canyon and Melvin of the home; a sister, Janice of the home; and a grandfather, E. J. Friemel of Umbarger.

Letter To The Editor

New Way To Give Found

Dear Mr. Martin,

I would like to pick up on Ann Brown's note of thanks in her column on November 26. Despite her inaccuracies and over-simplifications, there is an important point to be made. Regarding our freedom, how does one give thanks for freedom? Not by just saying we are thankful, but by doing what is necessary to insure those liberties for which we are thankful to those who are still deprived of them. How does one give thanks for our material blessings? "Let him work with his hands, the thing which is good, that he may have **"to give to him that is in need"** (Eph. 4, 280). We certainly have plenty. And it is at Christmastime that our family has found a new way to show our thankfulness to God for the greatest of all gifts, the Christ Child.

We have all heard people complain about buying Christmas gifts; they don't know what to get so and so, they are having a hard time finding the time to shop, and they are concerned about how little they can spend for the gift. Yet, a ridiculous amount of money does go for gifts to our relatives and friends who don't really need these things. Surely for Christians, just giving a nod to the Christ-Child, and concerning themselves mostly with other activities, is missing the point of Christmas.

We have found that Christmas can be a real blessing for us and for others if we give fewer gifts to people who do not need them and more to those who do need it. We send the amount of money that we would have spent on our friends and relatives to individuals in need or organizations who serve people really in need. We ask that others do the same for us instead of buying us a gift. We send the money with a note saying that in thankfulness to God for His gift in Jesus Christ, we are sending $10.00 (or whatever) in Aunt Emma's name to them, as our gift to her. And we write a note to Aunt Emma telling her what we have done. We have really experienced a great deal of joy at Christmas which other years, wrapped up in the commercialization of Christmas as they have been, have not provided. It doesn't take many families to make a significant contribution. And there are surely so many programs to give to—Red Cross, United Way, Muscular Dystrophy, Meals on Wheels, American Cancer Society, or your own church's service organizations. I hope that some will consider this program for Christmas. And if specific questions arise, we will be glad to talk about how we have done it.

Now concerning some of the problems with Ann Brown's column on November 26. It is not true that across the board Asians and Europeans are impressed first with our freedom rather than our material wealth. Some would be, I am sure. However, personal freedoms go beyond America's in some Scandinavian countries (maybe to their detriment). When she zeroes in on Iron Curtain countries, I have more sympathy with her generalizations. But when she finds fault with socialist countries for disintegration of families, I wonder if she is acquainted with the divorce statistics in America. If we are to be self-righteous, that is one dog we had better let lie. We had better get the log out of our own eye first.

Before accepting hook, line, and sinker, her statement that communal life is against human nature, it might be important to note that the cultural development of man was communal, primitive societies still are, the populations of a large share of Asia, Africa, and South America are still communal (tribal), the Israeli kibbutz seems to be doing well, the Children of Israel made a rocky transition from tribal-communal life to a national life, and the monasteries that have lasted so long in the life of the church haven't found such life to be against human nature. In fact communal life gives more opportunity to see one's contribution to the community (sense of the significance of what one does) than is true in macroinstitutions such as we are becoming burdened with.

Thank you for printing my letter.

Yours truly,
David W. Melber

News Brief

J. Evetts Haley of Canyon is recuperating at Scott and White Hospital at Temple after undergoing surgery for gall bladder Nov. 21.

His condition is described as good.

News Pays Ad Bonus

The Canyon News is paying a Christmas bonus for reading the ads.

Watch the advertisements in The News each issue for names placed in them at random.

If your name appears in an ad, drop by the store in whose ad you find it and pick up a check for $5 from The Canyon News.

This is The News way of saying thank you to the people who patronize our customers.

DAR Will Honor Former Regents

A Christmas Tea honoring former regents has been planned by Daughters of the American Revolution for Dec. 11, from 3-5 p.m., in the parlor of the First Christian Church of Amarillo.

Among the honorary regents who will be in the receiving line and pour at the tea is Mrs. Grace Warwick of Canyon.

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United Methodist Church 1818 4th Ave. J. Frank Peery, Pastor Church School-9:30 Worship-10:45 U.M.Y.F.-5:30 Evening Worship-7:00 KCAN Broadcast-10:45	**Calvary Baptist Church** 800 8th St. Mel Hardin, Pastor Sunday School-9:30 a.m. Morning Worship-10:45 a.m. Church Training-6:00 p.m. Evening Worship-7:00 p.m. Wednesday Night-7:45 p.m.	**Faith Chapel and Student Center** Jack Cornell, Pastor Marcus Adair, Director and Coordinator Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Morning Worship-11:00 a.m. Vesper-Tuesday-6:00 p.m. Wed. Services-7:30 p.m.
Grace Baptist Church 2008 12th Ave. Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Morning Worship-11:00 Evening Worship-7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting-7:30 p.m. Ray Custer, Pastor	**First Christian Church** 1719 5th Ave. Ivan A. Adams, Pastor Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Morning Worship-10:45 a.m. Youth Meeting-6:30 p.m.	**First Presbyterian Church** 1319 5th Ave. Morning Worship-10:00 a.m. Dialogue Groups & Church School-11:30 Baldwin I Stribline, Minister

Cafeteria Menu

CANYON HIGH AND JUNIOR HIGH

MONDAY, DEC. 4
Pig-in-a-blanket
Seasoned Pinto Beans
Green Salad
Fruit Cup
Bread, Butter
Milk

TUESDAY, DEC. 5
Chicken and Noodles
Green Peas
Celery Stick
Fruit Jello with Topping
Rolls, Butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 6
Pizza
Buttered Corn
Diced Peaches
Tossed Salad
Bread, Butter
Milk

THURSDAY, DEC. 7
Hamburgers
Lettuce, Tomatoes
Tri-cut Potatoes
Applesauce Cake
Buttered Buns, Catsup
Milk

FRIDAY, DEC. 8
Fish Fillet
Tarter Sauce
Spinach
Cabbage Slaw
Lemon Pudding
Rolls, Butter
Milk

REX REEVES & GENE HOWE ELEMENTARY

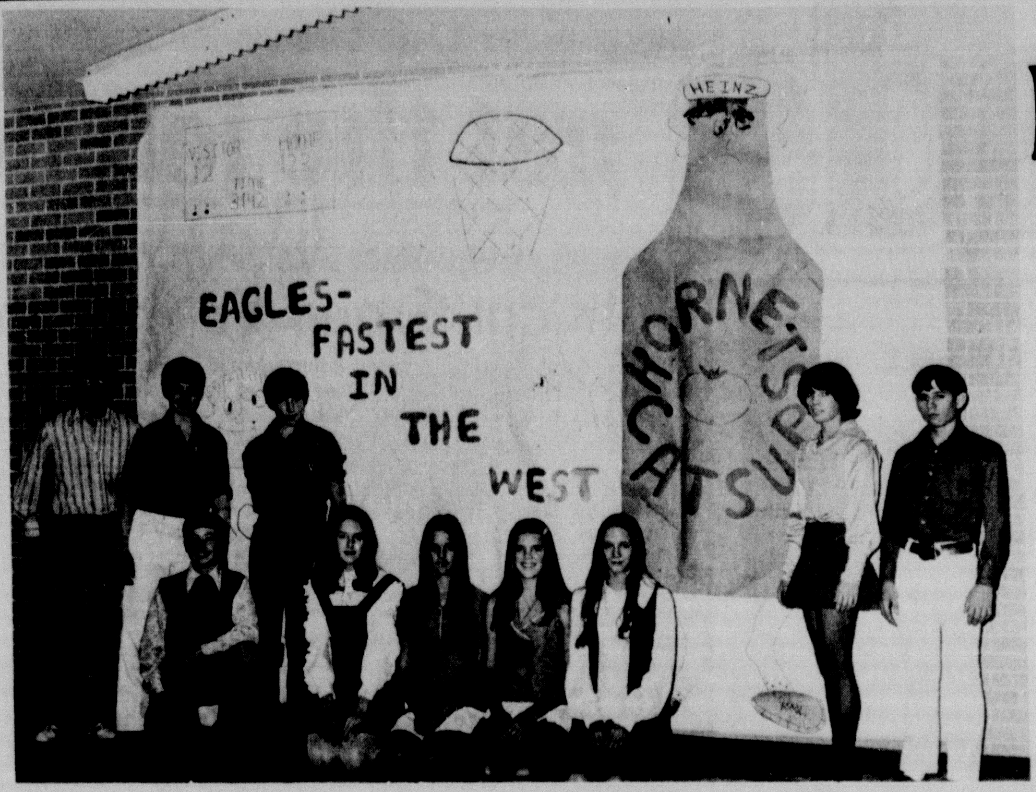
MONDAY, DEC. 4
Meat Loaf, Sauce
Blackeyed Peas
Mashed Potatoes
Honey
Rolls, Butter
Milk

TUESDAY, DEC. 5
Beef Tacos
Shredded Cheese, Lettuce
Mexican Beans
Jello/Whipped Topping
Bread, Butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 6
Barbecued Chicken
Potato Salad
Sliced Pickle Beets
Sweet Peas
Banana Pudding
Bread, Butter
Milk

THURSDAY, DEC. 7
Hamburgers
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Relish
Tri-cut Potatoes
Fruit Cup
Buns, Butter
Chocolate Milk

FRIDAY, DEC. 8
Beanie/Weiners
Kurley Spinach
Sliced Pickles
Fruit
Corn Bread, Butter
Milk



Eight grade leaders at Canyon Junior High School with their poster which took first place during a "Spirit Week" contest held at the school. From left to right, they are Rex Wilkinson, Roy Davis, Mark Sullivan, Craig Howard, Alicia Fowlkes, Darlenea Hanes, Vickie Miller, Deedy Johnson, Shellye Carroll and DeWight Byrd.

"Spirit Week" At Junior High

At Canyon Junior High School last week, "Spirit Week" was observed by contests, skits, colorful clothing and a pep rally.

On Monday, the boy's dressing room and activities area of the school were decorated in an effort to generate high team spirit.

Tuesday was "Sock It To Me Day" with students decked out in purple or white socks.

Also on that day, a contest was held for the best designed "beat tags." Winners of $1 from each of the three grades were Kathy Gardner, 9th grade, Terri Lynn Thomas, 8th grade, and Kim Landrum, 7th grade.

Wednesday was "Sucker Day" with suckers being sold for five cents each. Paper chain-links made by the cheerleaders and adorned with their names were sold for three cents each, or three links for five cents. Students were limited to spending 25 cents for links and the grade with the longest chain by Thursday afternoon was declared the winner.

The chain-link contest ended with a tie between the 7th and 8th grades. No official measurement was available but each chain reportedly reached all the way around the gym.

The money derived from the sale is to be used by the cheerleaders for various projects.

A pep rally was held Thursday afternoon and included skits sponsored by the student council.

Each grade entered into a poster contest designed to build team spirit. Of the three large mural-like posters, the one constructed by the 8th grade won first place.

The festivities ended Friday with "Color Day" which saw students dressed in the school colors.

Overall winner of the combined events for the week was the 7th grade.

CHS Band Places 17 On All-Region

Seventeen members of the Canyon High School band were selected to the All-Region Band in competition between 3-A and 4-A schools held at Caprock High School in Amarillo Wednesday.

The winners and their instruments were:

David Finke, percussion; Mike Word, baritone sax; Jerri Sisk, baritone clarinet; Larry Caviness, alto sax; Dan McGlasson, bassoon and Allen Beghtel, French horn.

John King, Patricia Maxwell and Ted Sharp, coronets; Brad Garner, Teddi Crager, Sharon Lumry and Cindy Johnson, flutes; and Nancy King, Leslie Baird, Doug Rittenberry and Vern Zimmerman, clarinets.

The All-Region Band rehearsed in Pampa Friday and Saturday, taking part in a concert Saturday night in conjunction with the All-Region Choir.

The All-Region Choir includes 17 members of Canyon High School. Those students were named in previous editions of The News.

This year the All-Region Band is under direction of Dean Kellion of Texas Tech.

The Canyon High School Eagle Band will present its annual Christmas concert on December 12, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

Dr. Gary Garner, director of the West Texas State University band, will appear as guest flute soloist, and will be accompanied by the Eagle band.

The high school Stage Band will also be presented during the concert.

The Canyon High School band is under direction of J.W. King.

Dec. 5, beginning at 7:30 p.m., the junior high bands, under direction of Gary Laramore, will hold a concert in the high school auditorium.

The three junior high bands are Symphonic, Concert and Cadet. Each band will present a group of concert selections including Christmas music.

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reflections on the Arts

THE THIRD ANNUAL PRE-CHRISTMAS ART FAIR will be held at the WTSU Activities Center Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

The fair is sponsored by Kappa Pi, art honorary. All area artists are invited to purchase booths for the display and sale of their works.

Each 10 x 10 booth costs $2.50 for exhibitors. Art instructor Darold Smith is taking reservations for the booths at 655-9419.

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COMMENT: There is always a large variety of art pieces at the fair so mark your calendar and plan on attending.

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"THE NUTCRACKER BALLET" will open at Amarillo's Tascosa High School Thursday and run December 8, 9, and 11 at 8 p.m. with a special performance set at 2:30 p.m. on the 9th.

All performances are slated for the THS auditorium.

Guest artist will be Charles Maples, a member of a Los Angeles ballet company.

WTSU's Rene Clemente will dance the male lead's part on December 11. Rene is superb, by the way.

Under the direction of Neil Hess, the school's drama department is in charge of the production. The THS choirs and orchestra will also join in the festivities.

Santa Claus Lane will be open one hour prior to curtain time.

Tickets are $1.50 each and may be purchased at Cooper and Melin, Wilson's Magnavox, and at THS. Some tickets will probably be available at the door, but last season's show played to full and turn-away crowd's each evening.

Call in your reservations.

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THE AMARILLO BALLET THEATRE's fourth annual production of the Nutcracker will be held December 15 at the Amarillo Civic Center.

Tickets are $6, $5 and $2 and may be purchased at the Bank of the Southwest, White and Kirk and the Civic Center box office.

New York artists Ted Kivitt and Cynthia Gregory will dance the principal roles.

"Send Me No Flowers" will run through December 7 at the Amarillo Little Theatre. Heading the cast are Imogene Coca and King Donovan, stars of stage, screen, television, and Broadway.

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"Much Ado About Nothing" opens at the Oklahoma Theatre Center Wednesday and runs through December 23 in Oklahoma City.

Area Resident Dies Thursday

Ervin Arthur Michael, 70, of east of Canyon, was dead on arrival about 5:45 p.m. Thursday at Neblet Hospital here.

A Randall County resident since 1919, Mr. Michael was a farmer and stockman.

He was born Sept. 15, 1902 in Wisner, Neb., and lived there until he moved to the Canyon area. He married Ethel Root at Plainview Jan. 19, 1924.

Mr. Michael was a member of the Farm Bureau, the National Farm Loan Association and the Canyon First Christian Church.

Services were held Saturday afternoon at the First Christian Church here. Dr. Joe Findley and Dr. Newton J. Robison, former pastor of the Amarillo First Christian Church, conducted the services.

Pallbearers were nephews, Lloyd Michael, John Albers, Norris Root, Richard Brotherton, Billy Michael, Donald Laughery, Raymond Root and Harold Root.

Burial was in Memory Gardens Cemetery by LaGrone Funeral Chapel.

Survivors include his wife of the home; daughters, Mrs. Sandra Swafford of Amarillo, and Mrs. Barbara Cullender of Canadian; a son, Meade of east of Canyon; a sister, Mrs. Clark Johnson of Wisner, Neb.; and seven grandchildren.

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Political Group Formed In Canyon

The Canyon Political Action Group was formally organized during a meeting held Thursday night at The Only Place in Canyon.

The group, in an informal manner began activities prior to the general election.

According to publicity chairman John Pristash, the group adopted purposes to be accomplished by the organization. Listed were to prompt self-education and interest in public affairs, and to stimulate involvement in community, state and national politics.

A steering committee was elected during the organizational meeting. They were:

Chairman, Mary Parker; vice chairman, and project chairman, Dr. John Kahler; secretary and news media chairman, Dr. Donald Todd; treasurer and membership chairman, Ralph Bruse; research committee chairman, Dr. Hollice Snyder; research librarian, Nora Killian; member-at-large, Greg Edwards and representatives of university students, James Collins and Jerry Crowell.

Two persons to represent the high school group have not yet been named said Pristash, who was selected to the publicity chairmanship at the meeting.

Mrs. Parker was in charge of the program Thursday night, speaking on proceedures for rezoning within the city.

The group will hold its next meeting at 6:30 p.m. on Jan. 25, again at The Only Place.

Dues are $3 for a family, $2 for an individual and $1 for students, Pristash said.

Christmas Is Season For Many Fire Hazards

With the winter season being extremely dangerous in regard to residential fires, and the Christmas season compounding those dangers, Canyon Fire Marshal Blakley Fargason has issued several "common sense" fire prevention tips.

Natural trees used at Christmas time should be kept fresh says Fargason. This can be done by placing the stump of the tree in a container of water.

Location of the tree away from curtains or other easily ignited objects will prevent rapid spread of fire should a blaze erupt, Fargason said.

Before lights are placed on a tree or other objects, the wires and sockets should be checked to make sure they are in good condition and working properly.

Care should also be taken to insure that electrical lines are not overloaded because of too many appliances being connected to one outlet.

If an artificial tree is to be used, Fargason said, it should be made of material which is not combustible. According to the fire marshal, artificial trees not approved by the Underwriter's Laboratory or other qualified agencies should be avoided.

Fargason said artificial trees approved by the California State Fire Marshal's office have been tested and found to be safe.

When metal artificial trees are used, it is not advisable to adorn it with electric lights, said Fargason. He cited the danger of electrical shorts and shocks, even possible electrocution.

The city fire official also warned against leaving Christmas tree lights burning while away from home or while the family is sleeping.

In summing up the hazards of Christmas trees and their lighting, Fargason said "good, common sense" should prevent a major portion of the fires and other mishaps that annually occur at this time of year.

WT Teachers At Convention

Eight members of the West Texas State University physical education department are attending the 49th Texas Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation convention in San Antonio through Saturday.

Dr. Myron Dees, professor and head of the department of physical education at WTSU, is president of TAHPER.

Other West Texas State representatives are Dr. A.J. Luquette, Mrs. Mary Hill, Nancy Kneisley, Sam Weaver, Richard Ortiz and Jack Tillinghast and graduate assistant Mickey Daugherty of Canyon.

Papers Filed In Sale Of Canyon Creek

Papers transferring the Canyon Creek Apartments from the former owners, a general partnership of several Amarillo men and a Canyon corporation, to new owners, a limited partnership called Canyon Creek Properties, were filed Friday in the Randall County clerk's office.

Warranty deed and assumption agreement were filed in the clerk's office.

The records state the new owners assume the former owners' debt on a $1.196 million loan made by Farm and Home Savings Association.

Jack Huddleston, president of Panhandle Savings and Loan in Amarillo, announced several weeks ago he and a group of other businessmen had purchased the apartment complex, which is located in the Hunsley Hills addition of Canyon.

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Happy Splits Pair With Silverton

The Happy Girls basketball team downed Silverton Friday night 52-42 but the boys dropped their first game of the season 55-28.

Boys coach Gerald Weeks said he chalked the loss up to "first game jitters" and the fact that because of football, his team had only begun practice Monday.

The scoring for Happy was pretty evenly distributed with Greg Looney topping the Cowboys with 8. Tim McNeill scored 6 for Happy and T. Culwell led the Silverton pack with 16.

Weeks said his team was not quite ready and added, "We just couldn't hit the basket."

The game was the third for Silverton, which is also a Class A team.

The girls used 23 points each by Pam Shipman and Becky Via in their win.

Coach Weeks, speaking in the absence of girls coach Leslie Lee, called it "a pretty good ball game" on the part of the girls from Happy.

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Eagles Lose At Brownfield; Girls In Sunray Finals

The Canyon Eagles were eliminated in the first round of play in the Brownfield tournament, losing to Seminole, but the girl Eagles fared much better in their Sunray tourney outing.

The boy Eagles lost 82-69 in a game that saw Seminole the winners pull away in the final period.

The score at the end of the first period was 21-16, Seminole, and the Eagles trailed by only 39-34 at halftime.

Wayne Pitt dropped in 16 points to lead Eagles scoring. Andy Cooper and Gary Don Byars tied for second in scoring with 14 each.

Donald Roberts paced Seminole with 16 to share game honors with Pitt.

The Eagles meet Dimmitt Monday night in a game to be played in the Canyon gym.

In the Sunray tourney, the girl Eagles got off to a fantastic start by dumping Stinnett 84-22 in the opening round.

The Stinnett girls were held to only four points in the first quarter and had mustered only 9 by halftime.

Mindy Sternenberg led Canyon at the net with 23 points.

In the semi-finals, the girl Eagles handed Dalhart a 67-21 loss.

Like Stinnett, the Dalhart girls ended their first quarter with only four points, adding only three more during the second period.

Alishia Nelson took top scoring honors among the rampaging Eagles and D. Crowell popped in 10 for Dalhart.

The Canyon sextet played Stratford in the finals Saturday. Results of that game will appear in The News on Thursday.

On Monday night, the girls join the boys in action against visiting Dimmitt.

Lodge...

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"I haven't checked on it yet," Kuykendall said. "I'll have to check into the local lodge and have them give me a statement of their operation and what their dues are used for."

He said the lodge is not currently on the tax rolls.

The lodge, which is located north of the Canyon High School campus, is not listed on the county tax rolls, either.

"If it's the law, then they'll be put on," Mrs. Bruse said.

Tax...

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side firm.

Clark could not estimate total cost of the operation annually to the county, but said it averaged about 20 cents per line.

The Nacogdoches tax man had some advice, though, for local computer planners.

"Try to find somebody who has run tax rolls before," he said. "Don't let them experiment. This is highly technical stuff."

Clark said his tax roll has been on computer about a year.

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societies. During the past school year he served on eight university committees.

Chairman of the department of art for 16 years, Caballero has taught at West Texas State for 23 years. He attended Amarillo College, received a Bachelor's degree from WTSU and Master of Arts and Ph.D. degrees from Columbia University.

One of the outstanding artists in the Texas Panhandle, Caballero moved to Texas in 1938. His works have been exhibited throughout the United States, and his commissions have included works now in the Midland Public Library, the Amarillo Municipal Building and St. Ann's Church of Canyon.

The Faculty Excellence Award of $1,000 was given to Caballero earlier this year by the university. Artist Tenkei Tachibana of Japan, honorary professor of art at WTSU, invited Caballero to have a one-man show of his paintings in Tokyo.

He is a member of various professional art organizations and is a fellow of the Royal Society of Arts of Great Britain, founded in 1754.

Guy has taught 14 years at WTSU and has served as the department chairman since 1967. A native of Kansas, Guy earned Bachelor and Master degrees from Kansas State College at Fort Hays and a Ph.D. from the University of Kansas in 1964.

Research projects completed by Guy include the Hay-Bunau-Varilla Treaty and History of the Panhandle Bankers' Association. He is current editor of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Review.

Guy coordinated the first Afro-American history course at the university.

Coca...

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vice to WT students about pursuing the acting profession.

"I do not think anybody should go into show business if he doesn't have to," said Donovan. "If it's for success, or glamour, or money—don't. They all wash away too soon. But the point is, if you love it—acting—then do it."

"I agree with King positively," chimed in Miss Coca, "but I'd like to say something about his remark that we only went to the eighth grade. You ought to know it was only because we had mad parents who were all involved in the theater. I think it is terribly good to have an education, and while in college, to be a part of the drama department, to exercise the muscles and get ready for the stage in a much more constructive manner than we did."

Feeling them out further on the subject of preparation, William A. Moore, acting director at West Texas State University, asked what gaps they might have noticed in the training of actors nowadays. Their answers didn't match.

"I think for the most part young people seem to be better prepared now than they were in the past," replied Coca.

But her husband writhed in his seat, ran a hand through his mane, and gave another view. "Gee, I don't agree at all. Number one, when you get a job it's because you can do it. If you're a sexy little broad, they will use you because of it, or if you're a pot-bellied character actor, they may put you in as Polonius...The Actors Studio in New York has produced good actors, trained to play in contemporary plays. But in relation to classical roles, I don't think there have been ten actors out of the Actors Studio who have done Shakespeare."

"Nor any other actors that I've come upon," his wife smilingly remarked, in a patient, reasoning-with-a-madman tone. Everyone laughed.

But most of the time the husband-wife team, who married in 1958 and are now in their seventeenth production together, display only respect and affection for each other.

The talk, for example, turned to direction, when someone asked, "What do you want from a director?" Imogene Coca praised her husband as a director, saying he was "quiet and gentle."

"People going into parts want to play roles they have an instinct for. They want to work out their own interpretations, and then gradually make themselves a part of the whole," answered Donovan who has both acted and directed. "A director is a mirror—he just shows you what you should see yourself. He is invaluable in guiding the instincts and talents, and he must be sensitive, gentle and discerning."

"I think a director's job is almost like a psychiatrist's," observed Miss Coca. "I think they have to approach each actor on a different level. Some they can't let be too sure of themselves, because they will just take off with the play. Others need to be encouraged and reassured...I've seen some directors that for some reason hate actors. Actually, I've seen some performances torn apart by directors. Fortunately, there are not too many of that kind...

"I find a director a much more necessary person in the theater than does King. I want to be told what I am doing right and what I am doing wrong," Miss Coca added.

Someone asked them which media they preferred to work in.

"When you are taping television you have your nights to yourself," observed Donovan. "You have nice quiet dinners and weekends to yourselves." He later told how when they were doing matinee-night stage performances, they usually ordered in a quart of milk to their dressing rooms and then napped until the evening show. And how after the evening show, they were so keyed up, it took until two or three in the morning to "unwind."

"But in theater," said Miss Coca, "you have that marvelous contact with people that, when successful, is the most exciting thing in the world."

The two veterans began discussing how television had changed from the old days.

Said Miss Coca, "There are so many people in television now—so many production people who have opinions, and then agency and network people. And they bring a horde of people into the picture." She illustrated her point by telling about the struggles of producing a satire of "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf" for television. The network sent in about 30 grim gentlemen who watched the show before taping to make sure it would not be offensive for the family audience.

"It's become more of a business now," commented Donovan. "But it's opening up, with programs like 'All in the Family' and 'Sanford and Son.'"

As the question and answer period neared conclusion, the team was optimistic about the prospects of theater in the future.

"There is an upsurge now in the regular theater," observed Donovan, "maybe because of expanding departments of drama, the opening of dinner theaters, and so forth...Imogene and I have done a lot of 'bus and truck' tours in our fourteen years together. And now we are finding there is no such thing as a 'hick town' anymore. The audiences in the smaller towns know what they have come to see, and they are not too loaded with dinner and drink. Whenever the curtain goes up, it's an opening night—and the response is great."

After posing for the press, Imogene Coca and King Donovan returned to Amarillo with Peter Fox of the Amarillo Little Theater, where they are now appearing in "Send Me No Flowers." Arrangements for their informal appearance in the Intimate Theater of the Fine Arts Building were made by William A. Moore of the Department of Speech.

Plant...

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dary tracks.

A statement issued by the company at mid-week indicated that the Randall County project is the major part of a $9 million dollar venture related to track welding.

Another $3 million is to be spent in the construction of four special track hauling trains to be used to transport the quarter-mile rail sections to the points of installation.

The specially designed trains will be one-quarter mile in length and built to allow the long rail sections to bend with the train. "The rails bend just like they will when they are put in place," Hill said. "I didn't believe it until I saw it," he added.

According to Santa Fe officials, their 12-state operation will offer ample demand for the long sections of rail for many years to come. "The short sections of rail replaced by the welded sections will also be reconditioned and welded together at the new plant, the company statement said.

Since 1957, all rail replacements made on the line's main routes have been with the welded rail sections.

Another $1 million is to be spent in updating and modernizing handling facilities in a related plant located at Newton, Kan. The plant there turns out switches, "frogs" and other smaller track items.

The Santa Fe employs about 1,275 persons in the immediate area and provides a payroll of about $18 million annually. The new plant will add about $750,000 to that payroll figure, rail officials said.

Obscene...

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firmed Friday his office has received a number of complaints concerning obscene and harrassing phone calls in Canyon.

Patrick said obscene calls are reported in rashes in Canyon, usually ending with the arrest of suspects.

"We've been very successful in the last three years in catching the majority of the people making the calls," Patrick said.

Patrick said the telephone company has developed a device called the polarity trap which can trace calls to their sources.

The trap is attached to telephone company equipment and does not monitor calls. It simply traces the calls to their origin.

"That's what we've used in every case I know of," he said.

But, before using the polarity trap, Patrick said the phone company suggests to recipients of obscene or harrassing phone calls that they can probably stop the calls themselves by applying a few rules of thumb.

"When this gets started it's usually one individual or just a few who call a lot of people," he said. "They keep calling until they get somebody excited. They seem to enjoy finding somebody they can really make mad. Then they keep calling back.

"People should be tolerant and as soon as they can tell it's an harrassing call, the best thing to do is just hang up. Chances are they are not going to keep calling back.

"If that doesn't do the trick, then we can go the polarity trap route."

Before the polarity trap is used, local law enforcement officials are informed of the case so they can make arrangements for arrests.

"Usually, when these kinds of calls start piling up they continue until we catch somebody," Patrick said. "Then we have no problem for awhile.

Randall County Asst. Dist. Atty. Jim Blair said anyone who uses vulgar, profane or abusive language over a telephone in a manner to harrass, threaten or intimidate another person is guilty of a misdemeanor.

If found guilty, offenders may be fined not less than $100 nor more than $1,000. They can also be sentenced to from a month to a year in the county jail.

9th Grade White Now Stands 2-0

The 9th grade white team of Canyon Junior High School won a pair of basketball games last week, downing Highland Park 46-39, and the white team of Borger 71-65 in overtime.

The 9th grade white team will be in action at home Monday when they meet Stanton of Hereford.

Agents...

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He estimated that 80 cents of every insurance dollar in the past 10 years has gone back to the customer in payment of claims in this area.

He said the rates could go into effect as soon as Jan. 1.

The Texas Insurance Advisory Association presented the agents' case in Austin last week and recommended a statewide reduction of 7.7 per cent for fire insurance.

A 17.7 per cent decrease was recommended for extended coverage policy holders in this area and a 16.2 per cent decrease was recommended for homeowners coverage policy holders in the area.

Degree...

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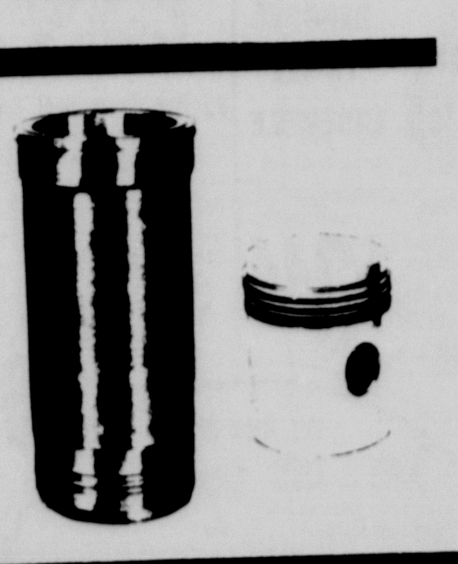

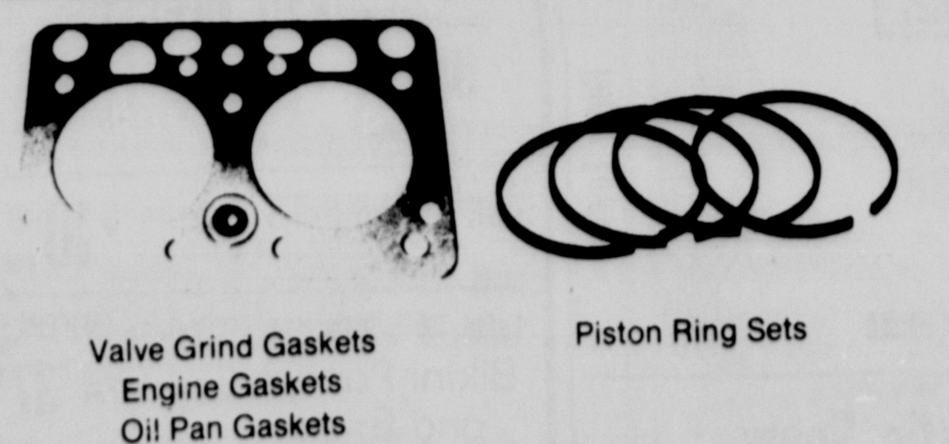

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Miss Ruthart Is Engaged

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Donna Gail Ruthart and Randall B. Webb will be announced this afternoon by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Ruthart, at a tea in their home at 408 Taylor Lane.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. D.R. Easter of Hurst, Tex., and Mr. W.O. Webb of Amarillo.

The wedding will take place on February 3, 1973, in the First Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Canyon High School and now attends West Texas State University where she is a sophomore.

Her fiance also attends WTSU and is presently employed by Ordway-Saunders Securities Corp.

At the announcement tea, guests will be registered by Mrs. Perry Graham of Dimmitt, and sisters of the bride, Sharon and Karen Ruthart of Dallas. Miss Lily Koesjan of Amarillo will play piano music during the tea.

The house party will be composed of Mrs. Ralph Ruthart of Canyon, Mrs. Manuel Ruthart of Groom, Mrs. Gordan Ruthart of Groom, Mrs. Arlen Ruthart of Amarillo, Mrs. Donnell Ruthart of Amarillo, Mrs. Anford Ruthart of Seminole, Mrs. D.C. Lindley of Canyon, Mrs. V. A. Howard of Canyon, Mrs. Bill Woodson of Amarillo, and Mrs. Jimmie Cain of Amarillo. All are aunts of the bride.

Miss Donna Gail Ruthart

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Gilbert-Morris Vows Exchanged

Miss Esther Mae Gilbert and Dayton G. Morris exchanged marriage vows in a double-ring ceremony taking place Saturday evening, Nov. 25, in the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church of Amarillo. Chaplain Joe L. Morris, U.S. Air Force, Retired, brother of the bridegroom, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. J.W. Ward, residing in the I.O.O.F. retirement home at Ennis, Tex., and the late J.W. Ward.

The bridegroom, a former Canyon resident now living in Amarillo, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Morris of Canyon.

The altar area was decorated with a standing bouquet of flowers in rich autumn colors, banked with golden mums.

Mrs. Charles Bagwell, organist, played traditional wedding music.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Sandy Hair and Miss Karen Pegg, nieces of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Frances Cheek of Amarillo was matron of honor. She wore an A-line dress of turquoise winter crepe with a corsage of white and blue carnations.

The best man was John P. Morris of Amarillo, brother of the bridegroom.

The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Frank Cheek of Amarillo. She wore a formal gown of antique bridal satin with overlay of French lace, designed with softly gathered skirt banded at the waist with satin and marked with a flat bow at back. The high round neck and wrists were edged with lace ruffles. Her shoulder-length veil was held by a rosette bordered with sequins and pearls, and she carried a natural orchid on a white beaded evening bag.

Following the ceremony, the bride and groom with attendants received guests in the large foyer of the church, decorated with bouquets of autumn flowers and baskets of rice bags.

The couple left for a short wedding trip to New Mexico, the bride wearing a white pantsuit trimmed in black with a white wool cape.

Since Nov. 30, the newlyweds have been making their home at Rt. 3, Box 174, North Amarillo.

The bride owns and operates a school store across from the River Road Junior High School of Amarillo.

The bridegroom is a graduate of West Texas State University and is presently employed at Accudata Corp. in Amarillo

Methodist Youth To Have Dinner

The Methodist Student Center at 107 26th St. will have a Christmas dinner on Sunday, Dec. 10, serving from 11:45 to 1:30. The price will be $1.00 for children and $1.75 for adults.

A menu of turkey and dressing, green beans, cranberry jello, cake, coffee and tea will be prepared and served by WTSU students. The public is invited to attend.

Proceeds of the dinner, which last year went to the Wesley Community Center in Amarillo, will again this year go to a worthy cause. Campus Methodist Student Director is the Rev. Cecil Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baber

Joe Babers Honored On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baber, 2010 5th Ave., were recently honored on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary with a reception at the Canyon Community Center.

The honorees were married on November 8, 1922, in Wichita Falls, Texas, and came to Canyon about 40 years ago. Mrs. Baber was the former Miss Mollie Stallings. The couple have one daughter, Mrs. Betty Moody of Santa Ana, Calif. They are members of the First Baptist Church.

Hosting the reception were the daughter, Mrs. Moody, and their sister-in-law, Mrs. Ruby Stallings.

They have five grandchildren, four of the Moody home in Santa Ana, Calif., and Miss Sarah Moody of Denton, Tex.

Mrs. Priddy Gives Sue Hite Program

The Sue Hite Study Club met Monday afternoon, Nov. 27, in the sixth grade room of Mrs. Edith Priddy at Rex Reeves Elementary School.

A devotional was given by Mrs. A.K. Goodman. Mrs. A.L. Walsh presided over the short business session.

Mrs. Priddy presented the program on "Japanese Architecture and Religion." Mrs. Priddy stated the homes in Japan are very simply built of wood and rice paper and have very few furnishings in them to avoid cluttering. Gardens are very beautiful and range from table-top size to a large area.

Most homes have two small altars on separate high shelves, Mrs. Priddy told the group. Most Japanese have two religions, Shintoism and Buddhism. The Shinto religion is used primarily for weddings and the Buddhist for funerals.

Hostess for the meeting was Mrs. Hazel Walsh, with Mrs. Jewell Hill, Mrs. Bonnie Hinger, and Mrs. Frances Holman assisting.

The next meeting of the club will be on Dec. 11 at the First United Methodist Church.

Miss Oglesby Is Betrothed

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Oglesby of Amarillo have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Maribeth, to Kenneth Lee Tyler, son of Mr. John M. Tyler, of Amarillo and the late Mrs. Tyler.

Vows will be exchanged in the First United Methodist Church of Canyon on Saturday, January 27, 1973.

The bride-elect graduated from Canyon High School and attended Amarillo College, West Texas State University, and the Artistic School of Hairdressing. She is now employed at Maribeth's Beauty Salon in Amarillo.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Amarillo High School and attended El Centro College in Dallas. He is presently employed at Pantex in Amarillo.

Miss Maribeth Oglesby

Chamber Board To Meet Mon.

Committee chairmen and their committee members will be named for 1973 by next year's Chamber of Commerce president Raymond Raillard during the board of director's Monday night meeting at Canyon Community Center.

The board meets at 7 p.m.

Members will be named to the following committees: Agriculture, Education, Community Development, Highway, Legislative, Membership, Member Relation, Red Carpet and Tourist Development.

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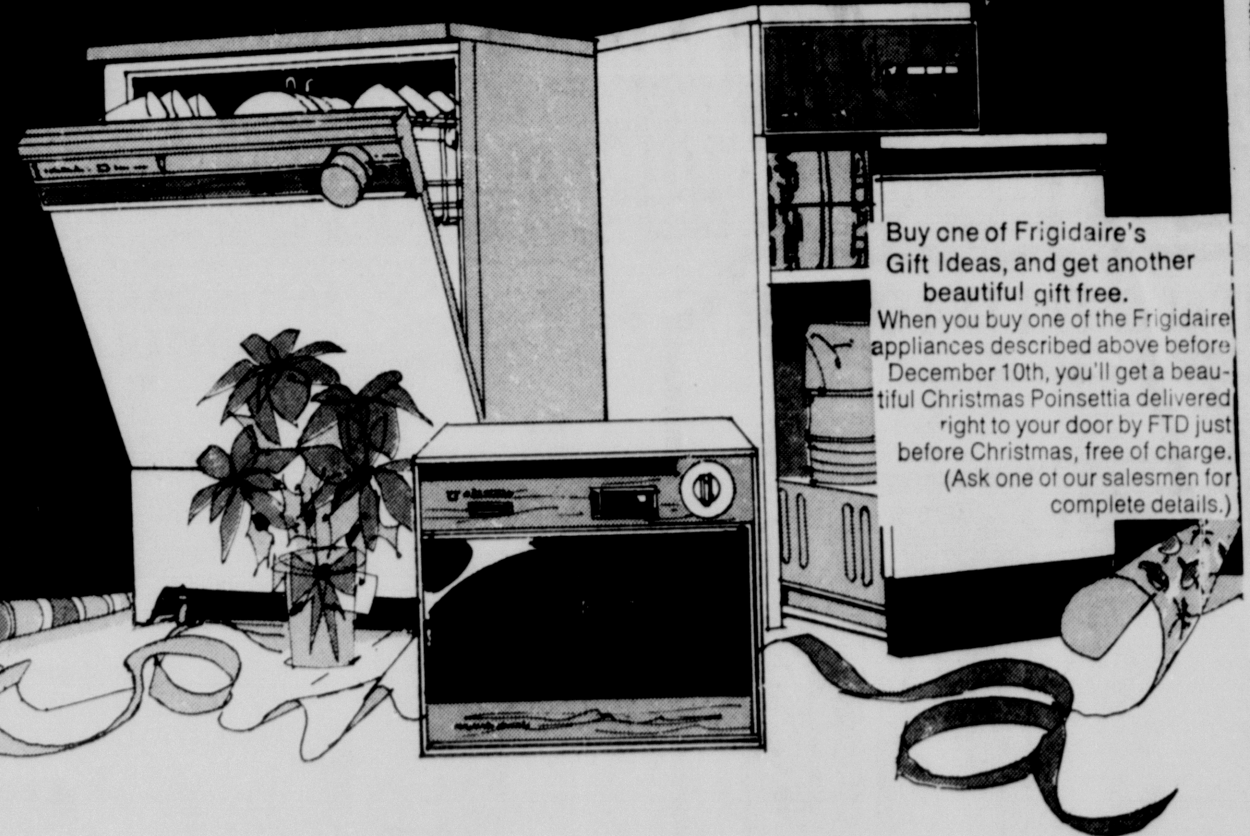
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Freeman-Stevens Vows Are Spoken

Miss Sharon Annette Freeman became the bride of Joe Don Stevens in a double-ring ceremony taking place Wednesday evening, Nov. 22, in the First United Methodist Church of Canyon. The Rev. Ray Custer of Grace Baptist Church read the vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Freeman of Rt. 1, Canyon.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. A.D. Stevens of Bovina.

Candelabra framed the altar where the couple stood, with baskets of white gladioli on each side.

Mrs. Cortez Dowlen, organist, played traditional wedding music and "Sunrise, Sunset." "The Wedding Song" was sung by Alicia and John Boone.

Miss Barbara Dickerson was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Lee Ann Schickedanz and Diana Boone. They wore long blue velvet gowns trimmed with white lace, designed with heart-shaped necklines and short sleeves. Each carried one white rose with fern and baby's breath and wore baby's breath in her hair. All wore gold crosses on chains, gifts of the bride.

Candlelighters were Rebecca Sue Freeman, sister of the bride, and Shelly Stevens, who wore dresses similar to the attendants'. Flower girls were Sabra Stevens and Melania Hartman. They wore short blue velvet dresses trimmed in white lace and carried baskets of white petals in white lace baskets.

Dale Hawkins was best man, and groomsmen were David Dixon and David Freeman, brother of the bride. Ushers were David Townsand and Skip Lovelady. Ringbearers were James and John Stevens, four and five-year-old nephews of Groom, who carried blue velvet pillows trimmed with white lace.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of sata peau with lace overlay, styled with fitted waist, long full sleeves, and Mandarin stand-up collar. Inserts of Galloon lace were used on sleeves and Galloon lace edged the skirt and sanctuary train. Her fingertip veil of tulle fell from a crown of seed pearls, and she carried a white Bible with camellias and a linen handkerchief given to her mother by the late Mrs. Ed Harrell.

Following the ceremony, a reception was given in the fellowship hall of the church. Mrs. Jackie Feder served the four-tiered bride's cake, and Miss Alicia Boone served punch. At the groom's table, Mrs. Ruth Bednorz served chocolate cake, and Mrs. Evelyn Soule served coffee.

As the couple left for a wedding trip to Colorado Springs, the bride was wearing a lilac mini-skirt dress with high ruffled neck and long sleeves.

After Dec. 1, the newlyweds will be at home at 2105 S. Taylor in Amarillo.

The bride is a 1971 graduate of Canyon High School and a member of Rainbow girls. She is now employed at High Plains Baptist Hospital.

The bridegroom graduated from Bovina High School and is now owner-operator of Stevens Hardware in Amarillo.

Mrs. Joe Don Stevens

Mrs. W.C. Black

Bank Employees Honor Mrs. Black

Mrs. W.C. Black, 1011 5th Ave., was honored by officers and employees of the First National Bank with a coffee last Friday afternoon from 2-3 p.m. on the occasion of her retirement.

Mrs. Black, wife of late bank president, Bill Black, has worked in various posts at the First National Bank for the past 19 years. After having broken an arm about six weeks ago, she decided to announce her retirement.

As parting gifts, the bank gave Mrs. Black a wristwatch, and the employees gave her a knitted cape and orchid corsage. Coffee and cake were served.

Friday also happened to be Mrs. Black's birthday. "But you don't have birthdays any more when you get to be such an age as mine," she laughingly commented.

Mrs. Clounch Honored On Ninetieth Birthday

Miss Lorena Piper hosted a birthday-Thanksgiving dinner to honor her grandmother, Mrs. Virgie Clounch, on her 90th birthday on Saturday, Nov. 25 in her home at 700 16th Street.

Ceramic pilgrims with a turkey and pumpkins served as the centerpiece on a table covered with a Thanksgiving cloth. The huge birthday cake was decorated with a family tree having all the nine children's names on the branches, and the years 1882-1972.

Mrs. Clounch received some 75 cards from all over the United States and numerous bouquets of flowers.

The honoree shared dinner with 42 people, including six of her nine children. The children and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tucker of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Miller of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Normal Clounch of Oxnard, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clounch of Torrance, Calif., Mrs. Mildred Hudson and D'Lyne of Perryton, and Mr. Jeff Clounch of Torrence, Calif.

Other relatives attending were her sister, Mrs. Jessie Rusk of Canyon, and Mrs. Noma Clounch, also of Canyon, along with grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, and nephews. Many friends dropped by during the afternoon and evening hours to extend greetings.

Miss Agnew, Bell United In Marriage

Miss Carolynne Agnew of Gordon, Texas, and William H. Bell, Jr., were united in marriage in a ceremony taking place at the First United Methodist Church on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 25. The Rev. J. Frank Peery read the vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. E.E. Agnew of Cisco and Mrs. M.R. Johnson of Roscoe. She is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clemment, 1209 9th Ave.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bell, 2600 13th Ave.

A graduate of Gordon High School, the bride attended West Texas State University for two years.

After graduating from Canyon High School, the bridegroom served with the U.S. Marine Corps. He is now attending West Texas State University.

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New Programs For Students At University

West Texas State University inaugurates two new programs Monday to assist students in their academic educational experiences.

The university will initiate academic advisement services to all students and will call upon students to evaluate courses and faculty members through use of a questionnaire.

The student evaluation of courses and instructors is one of three self-study projects involving faculty, students and ex-students of the university.

Dr. Ray Malzahn, vice president for academic affairs, said, "At the present a faculty evaluation of courses and departmental requirements has been completed, the questionnaire for students evaluation is ready for use and the questionnaire for ex-students' evaluation is being developed.

"The primary purpose of the questionnaire being handed out to students beginning Monday is to establish where improvement is needed in the academic educational experience at WTSU."

The forms call for a one to six ranking on 30 questions. Space will be provided for additional comments. Student identification will not be required.

"Because the purpose of the questionnaire is to improve courses and instruction and not to publicize them, the data will be for institutional use only," Malzahn said.

A subcommittee of the Committee on Academic Educational Experiences has been responsible for researching, testing and constructing the student course evaluation form, he said.

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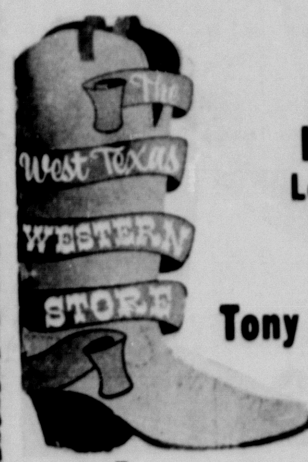

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Miss Woodbridge Is Engaged To Hill's Son

Dr. and Mrs. J.P. Woodbridge of Pierson, Iowa, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Glenda Gay, to Dr. G. Eugene Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hill of 608 20th Street.

The wedding ceremony will be held on Dec. 31 in Pierson, Iowa.

At the present time both Miss Woodbridge and Dr. Hill are employed by the World Board of Missions of the United Methodist Church. Miss Woodbridge is a short term missionary and Dr. Hill is under contract for educational work in Chile. Both are assigned to the Educational Foundation of Santiago College in Santiago, Chile. She teaches science and biology in the Intermediate and Upper School. He is the principal and currently acting director of the Lower School. Santiago College is a Methodist related private school for both Chilean students as well as international students. About 95 per cent of the student body is Chilean.

Earlier this year, Miss Woodbridge and Dr. Hill made their engagement formal through a "ring exchange" ceremony. In this ceremony, which is traditional in Latin America, the couple exchanges their wedding bands and wear them on the right hand until the wedding.

The ceremony was attended by Dr. and Mrs. Woodbridge and their two daughters, Joni and Janie who were visiting Glenda in Santiago. Also present were several close friends who also teach at Santiago College.

Lights Go On Tonite At WT

All's in readiness at West Texas State University for the breathtaking moment today when the more than 10,000 lights festooning six buildings and a 24-foot Christmas tree come ablaze in a fanfare of color and old-fashioned Christmas carols.

The Carol of Lights, scheduled for 8 p.m. on the southwest corner of the new Administration Building, formally ushers in the holiday season at WTSU with the illumination of the campus by multi-colored lights strung out on over three miles of electrical wire.

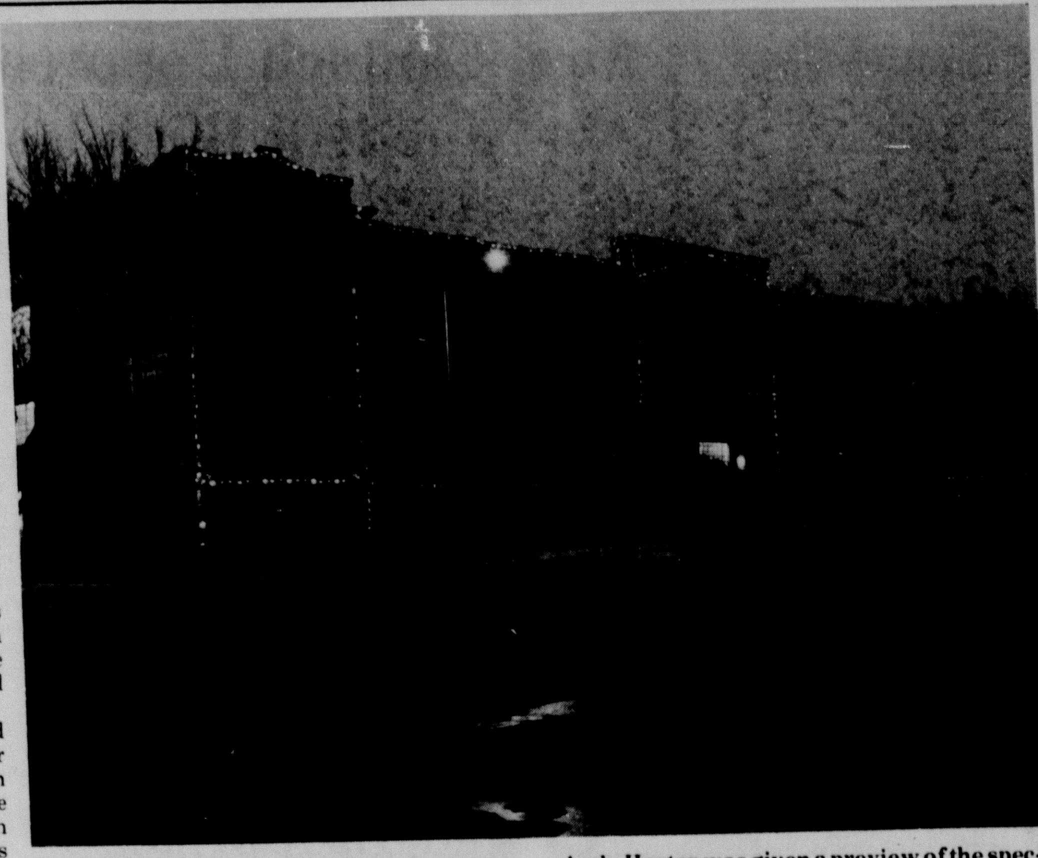
The annual seasonal show will boast for the first time a giant Christmas tree standing on the southside of the University Complex.

The tree was presented by the Texas Student Education Association and Kappa Alpha national social fraternity and is dedicated to WTSU football coach Gene Mayfield and his Buffalo football team which tied for first place this year in the Missouri Valley Conference.

Festivities will include musical presentations by the Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia glee club and the WTSU band under the direction of Dr. Gary Garner. Refreshments will be served.

Students and public will also have the opportunity to add their voices to such traditional Christmas favorites as "Deck the Halls," "Silent Night," and many others.

Buildings to be lighted include the Old Administration, Library and Science, University Complex South, new Administration and the Museum. The lights on the six structures and tree will be on through Jan. 1.



The Carol of Lights is scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. tonight on the West Texas State University campus and WTSU photographer Andy Hester was given a preview of the spectacle one evening last week.

Sorority Plans Christmas Events

Christmas activities were the focus of discussion at Tuesday night's meeting of Xi Kappa Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi in the home of Mrs. Johnny Robinson, 1007 7th St.

Members were urged to collect their treasures for donations to the invitational auction to be held at 8 p.m., Dec. 5, at the Girl Scout House. At the completion of the auction a German fruit cake will be given away by raffle.

A basket for a needy family in the Canyon area was made up with items brought by the women.

The group voted to purchase a wheel chair for donation to Neblett Memorial Hospital with proceeds from the Little Miss Canyon Pageant.

Local Pen Women Elected To Office

Panhandle Pen Women, meeting Tuesday for luncheon and workshop at the Quality Motel in Amarillo, heard Mrs. Evelyn Nace of Pampa relate her experiences as writer of 30 paperback books and 300 articles and short stories.

In the business portion of the meeting, Mrs. Ann Brown and Mrs. Geneva Berry, both of Canyon, were elected vice presidents. Mrs. Brown is widely known in this area as columnist for The Canyon News and also writes fiction. Mrs. Berry is a writer of fiction and poetry.

Other Canyon pen women attending were Mrs. Anita Lowe, Mrs. Glenna Wilson, Mrs. Marjorie Brewer, Mrs. Ann Weaver, Mrs. Lois Clifford, and Mrs. Emilio Caballero.

Panhandle Pen Women is made up of about 50 area women who are published authors. A requirement for membership is that the writer must have sold at least two works for publication, although unpublished writers are welcomed as associate members to the meetings. At each bi-monthly meeting, members report on submissions of books, articles, stories and poetry made in the preceding two months.

Going somewhere? Or been? The Canyon News wants to know about it — and so do its readers.

School Board To Hold Annual Christmas Fete

The Canyon School Board meeting Tuesday night will be highlighted by that group's annual Christmas dinner to be held at the high school beginning at 7:30 p.m.

About 37 board members, their wives and school administration members will be served by the homemaking III class. The menu will include smoked and bar-b-qued turkey with trimmings.

The setting for the dinner will be "Christmas Texas Style" with centerpieces of hurricane lamps and western fences. A Christmas tree has been made from tumbleweeds and bandanas will be a part of the table decor.

The food is being prepared by about 10 members of homemaking III and eight girls selected from the various homemaking classes will serve.

The school's Show Choir, directed by Tom Jennings, will provide entertainment.

In charge of the dinner are Miss Janet Sargeant, Mrs. Janet Fincher and Mrs. Cathy Cameron, all of the high school homemaking department, and Mrs. Lynette Whitley of the junior high school.

After the dinner, the board will convene in the meeting room of the school to tend to normal business and to hear a report on the school transportation system.

The program, to be headed by Ray Schultz, the school's business manager, will be an informal briefing designed to inform the board and interested persons present of the transportation system and what it consists of.

Two Arraigned

Two men arrested in Clovis, N.M., last week in connection with the beating and robbery of a man who was thrown from a moving train in Canyon Monday were returned to the city Thursday and arraigned Friday on charges of robbery by assault.

Claude Elmer Thompson, 51, of Greenville, S.C., and James Edward Conklin, 37, of Waverly, Neb., appeared before Justice of the Peace W.A. "Bill" Wilson, who set bond at $2,000 a piece on the charges.

Earl Douglas Riggleman told officers last week he had boarded a west-bound Santa Fe train Monday at Amarillo with two men, who while passing through Canyon beat him, robbed him of $150 and threw him from the moving train.

Riggleman was taken to Neblett Hospital here where he was treated for possible broken bones, cuts and abrasions.

Mrs. Brown Made Officer Of Bank

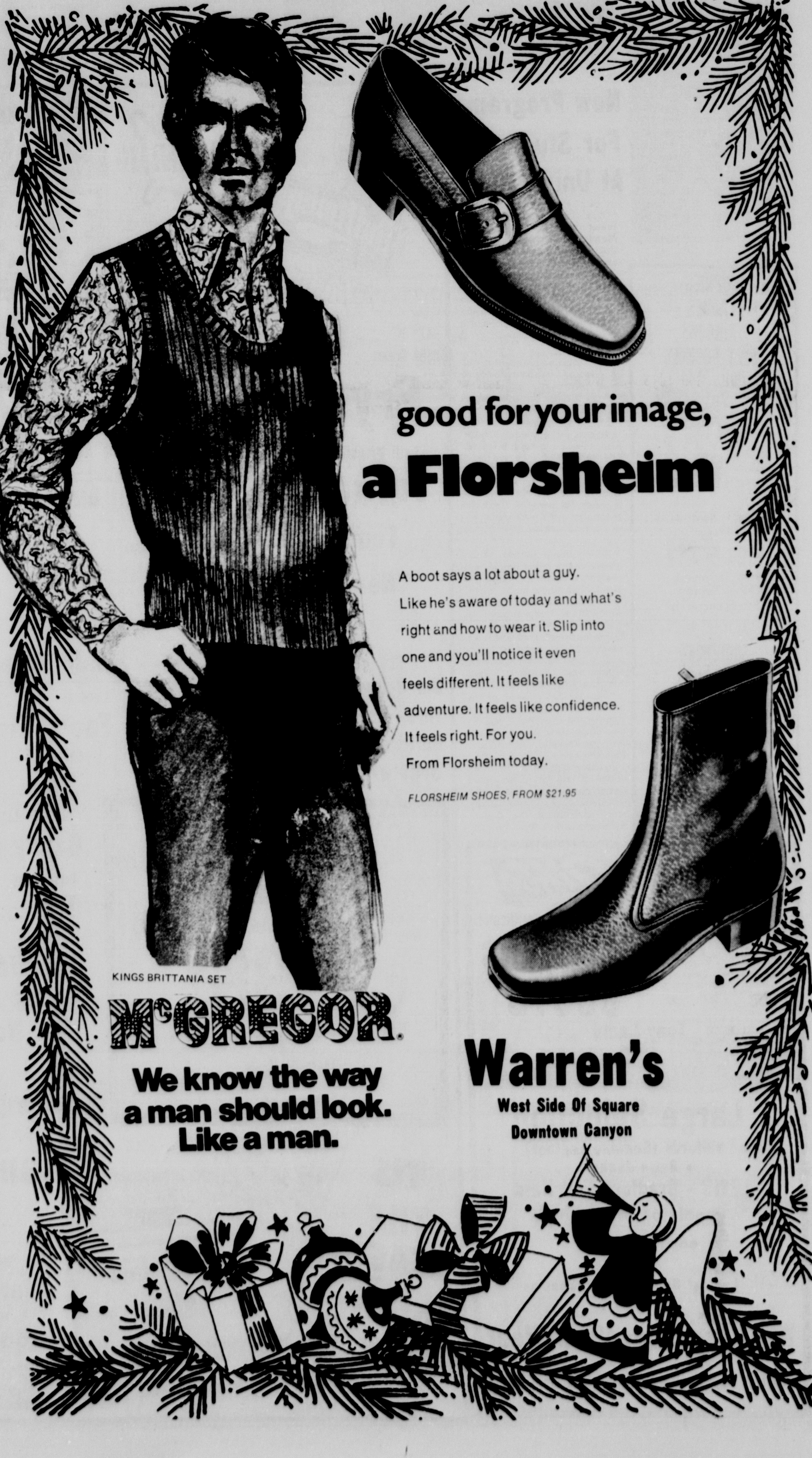
Mrs. Sharon Brown, 2508 13th Ave., was one of the 13 staff members of the First National Bank of Amarillo advanced to higher positions, according to an announcement made this past week.

Mrs. Brown was promoted to officer status as assistant cashier in charge of the women's division of the bank's marketing department. She has been employed in that department since 1969, having served previously as an administrative assistant with the Capital National Bank of Houston.

Active in community affairs in Canyon and Amarillo, Mrs. Brown was named earlier this year as one of the "Outstanding Young Women of America for 1972." She served as chairman of Canyon Study Club's Halloween Carnival earlier this year, and was campaign director for the March of Dimes in 1972. She is a member of the Women's Division of the Canyon Chamber of Commerce and the First United Methodist Church.

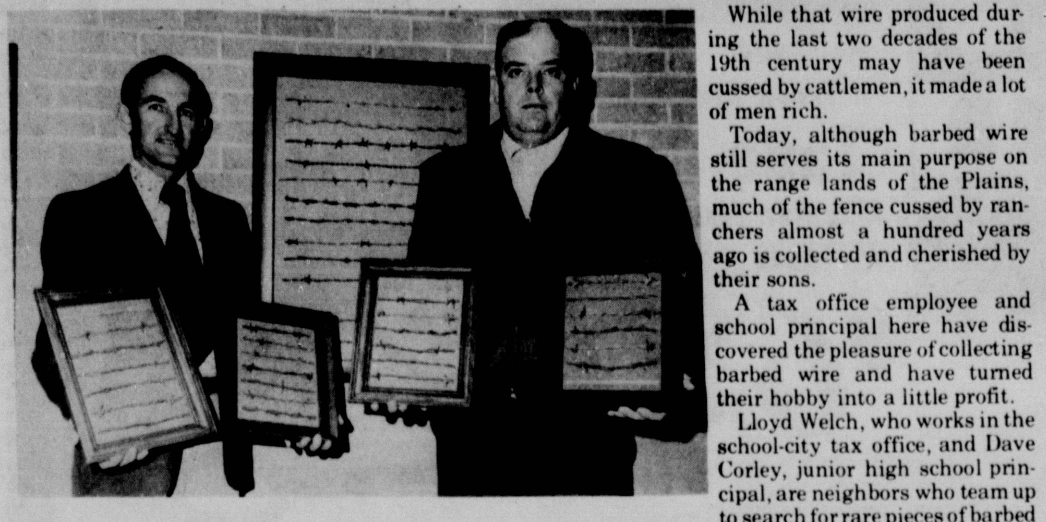
The young Canyon woman is the wife of Attorney Jim Brown and has two children, Ronnie and Stevie, both 9.

Randy C. Bloodworth, Plainview senior, will be featured in a French horn recital at 4 p.m. Monday in the West Texas State University Fine Arts Theatre.



Barbed Wire Is Hobby And Profit For Canyon Pair

Barbed wire has been depicted as the bane of the Plains cattlemen's existence during the 1880s.



Dave Corley, left, and Lloyd Welch display some of their collection of barbed wire. Not only are the two collectors, but they are mounting pieces of wire for gifts and sale.

Some historians list barbed wire as one of three inventions which won the West.

While that wire produced during the last two decades of the 19th century may have been cussed by cattlemen, it made a lot of men rich.

Today, although barbed wire still serves its main purpose on the range lands of the Plains, much of the fence cussed by ranchers almost a hundred years ago is collected and cherished by their sons.

A tax office employee and school principal here have discovered the pleasure of collecting barbed wire and have turned their hobby into a little profit.

Lloyd Welch, who works in the school-city tax office, and Dave Corley, junior high school principal, are neighbors who team up to search for rare pieces of barbed wire.

They teamed up Saturday to sell some mounted and framed varieties of wire during the Rotary Club flea market at the junior livestock building.

Corley and Welch admit they're just beginners when it comes to collecting barbed wire.

They said more than 500 patents have been approved for varieties of barbed wire and they have examples of about 60 of them.

The two neighbors were introduced to collecting wire by Mack White, shop teacher at the junior high school, who gave them some samples to get started.

One thing led to another and the two soon found themselves enthralled by the hunt. They also found themselves in the Canyon city dump looking for specimens.

Later, they began visiting area ranches to obtain wire pieces from old fences.

"After people find out you're doing it, they'll tell you where there's some or bring you a stick," Welch said.

When they first started their collections, Welch and Corley were unlearned about barbed wire.

"I figured there were probably about 40 varieties and we could probably get hold of about half of that with no trouble," Welch said. "I never dreamed there were so many."

Since beginning their collections, the two have read literature about the history of barbed wire and keep up with the collection field by reading various publications like "The Barbed Wire Gazette."

Corley said most of the more than 500 patents existing for barbed wire were taken out in the 1870s and 80s. Wire produced and marketed today is still based on those early patents.

Figures produced by Corley indicate that 10,000 pounds of barbed wire were sold in 1874. Two years later, the number of pounds sold had jumped to 2,840,000 and in 1878, the number of pounds sold had jumped to 26,840,000.

Corley said the majority of the patents results will not be found in the Texas Panhandle.

"Most of these were never used in this part of the country," he said, noting that settlement of the Panhandle came after the 1870s and 80s.

If the two collectors can't find wire they want they do the next logical thing — they try to find someone who has some and buy it.

Buying, selling and trading barbed wire has mushroomed all over the country, they say, and shows and conventions are held annually to promote exchange.

The oldest piece of wire in the Corley-Welch collection dates back to 1874.

Collecting barbed wire appeals to Corley and Welch because it gives them a certain feeling of kinship with the Old West. Besides, they say, it gives them an opportunity to "get out and walk around in the fresh air."

Hospital Notes

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Laramore, Baby Boy, Mr. & Mrs. Gary B., Canyon
Callarman, Baby Boy, Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Evan, Canyon
Hicks, Baby Boy, Mr. & Mrs. Marion E., Canyon
Ibison, Baby Boy, Mr. & Mrs. Danny T., Amarillo

City Commission To Hear From Dr. G. Mason Kahn

The Canyon City Commission Monday night will hear Dr. G. Mason Kahn, director of the bi-city, bi-county health department, present a program concerning the activities of the multi-agency health service.

Dr. Kahn is expected to go into how allocations are made to this health unit by the various participating agencies.

The commission is expected to discuss possible creation of a City Board of Development as earlier proposed by the Canyon Chamber of Commerce.

The chamber had requested that up to one per cent of the city's general fund budget be used, as allowed by state law, for the procurement of tourist business and industry.

According to the commission agenda, a member will also be appointed to the library board.

At the city meeting two weeks ago, a reward of $250 was posted for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who caused heavy damage to the East water tank about a month ago.

Monday night, the commission is expected to consider the adoption of a city ordinance which would offer a standing reward of $250 for the arrest and conviction of anyone found destroying city property in excess of $50.

Damage to the water tank had been estimated at from $300 to $500. The commission two weeks ago asked city attorney Elton Cox to draw up a proposed ordinance regarding the standing reward offer.

In other action Monday night, the commission is scheduled to consider a letter from the city planning and zoning commission recommending that a portion of the city adjacent to the proposed McDonald's Restaurant be rezoned from one and two family dwellings only to commercial.

The planning and zoning board last week voted to recommend the zone change despite considerable opposition voiced by one homeowner representing several nearby residents, and by the Methodist Church of Canyon.

Should the city commission accept the planning and zoning board's recommendation, another public hearing would be set prior to final action.

The commission also plans to further discuss a request by Southwestern Public Service Co., regarding a fuel adjustment clause.

Two weeks ago, the commission expressed its intent to grant the utility a municipal rate increase to affect only the city, but approval of the fuel adjustment clause request was held up pending further investigation.

Visitors wishing to discuss city business with members of the council, or to ask questions concerning the operation of city government will also be heard.

The meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. at the Canyon Community Center.

WT Exes Name Officers

The incumbents were re-elected last week to continue in their offices at the helm of the West Texas Ex-students, Inc.

Executive director Hank Brown said Wayne Rankin of Plainview was re-elected as president, and Thelma Evans of Tulia was re-elected vice president.

Joe Sneed of Amarillo was re-elected to his post as first vice president and Earl Whitten of Bovina was re-elected as second vice president.

Bill Horten of Dalhart was re-elected secretary and Wix Price, Jr. of Borger was re-elected treasurer.

The terms are for one year.

New directors to serve on the ex-students board, Joel Plunk of Pampa, Dr. Lindsey Taylor of Amarillo, Don Patterson of Amarillo and John Blaine of Plainview, begin their terms Jan. 1, 1973.

Buffs Down Corpus Christi 77-71

The West Texas State University basketball team, fresh from a 77-71 opening season victory, hosts Southern Mississippi at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Amarillo Civic Center.

The Buffaloes of coach Dennis Walling pulled away in the final half to defeat Corpus Christi Friday night in their opener.

The second half scoring and rebounding of freshman Reginald Ramey allowed the Buffs to break open a tight game.

Sparked by Ramey, who had been sitting on the bench since late in the first half with three fouls, the Buffaloes pushed to a 59-52 lead at the midway point of the second half and held on for the victory.

Tommy Jordan tallied 24 points to lead the Buffs in that department. Ramey and Ray Golson contributed 12 each and Ramey pulled in 13 rebounds.

Husky Ron Malone scored 20 to lead Corpus Christi and he also hauled in 15 rebounds. Lulius Howard, a 6-8, 245 pounder, pulled in 16 rebounds to lead both teams in that department.

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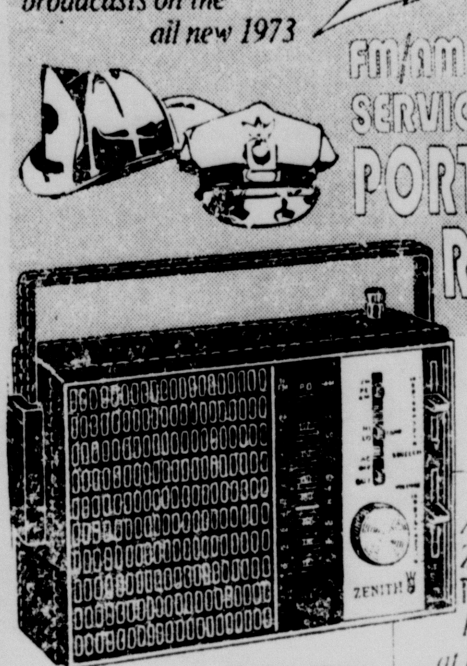

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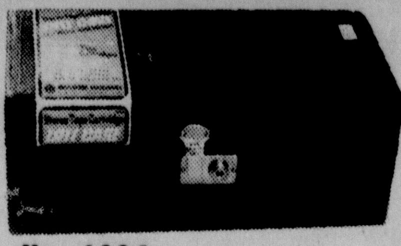

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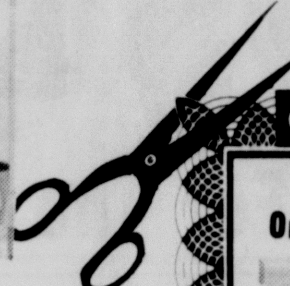

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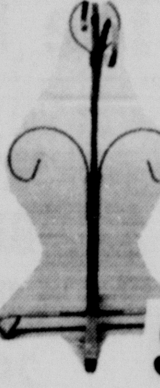

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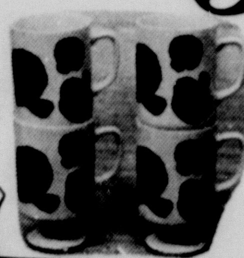

Self Cleaning **Broilmaster** By Udico No. 7421-10 **$19.97** Reg. $26.97

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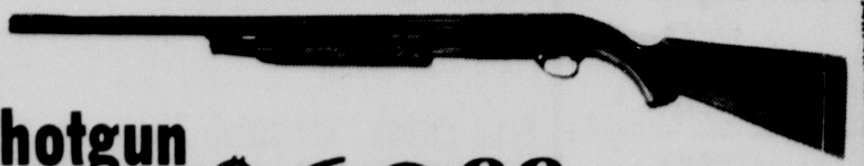

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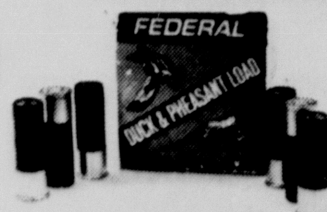

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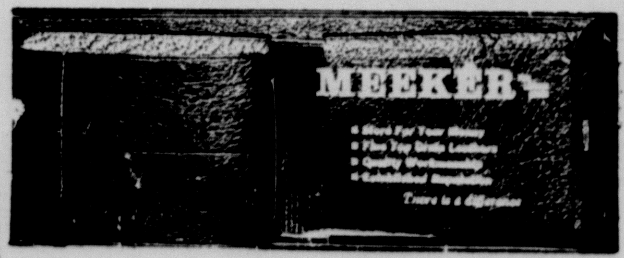

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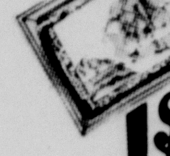

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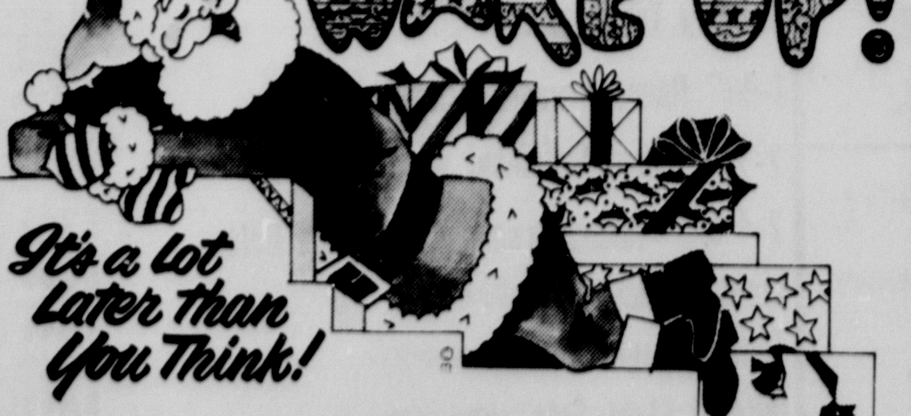

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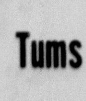

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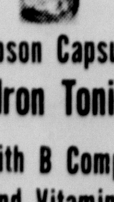
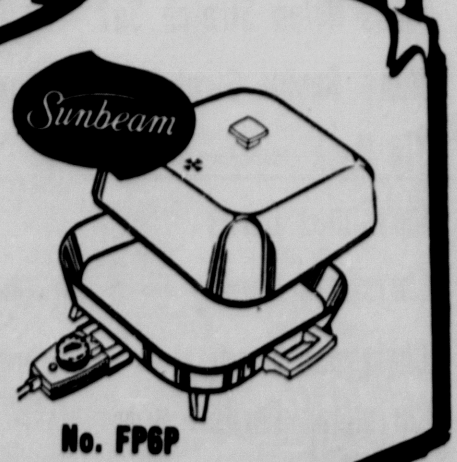


Gibson Capsules **Iron Tonic** With B Complex And Vitamin C 365 Ct. Reg. $6.89 **$5.89**

Caltrim Diet Plan Capsules Reg. $2.37 **$1.67**

G. Lox 12 Oz. Reg. 79c **49c**



Electric **Frypan** By Sunbeam Cook'n Clean Cradle **$22.87** Reg. $26.97

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